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Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—Early yesterday morning, a fire was discovered in the Arch-street Opera-house, which is situated on the north side of Arch-street, near Tenth. At the time it attracted notice, the fire was in the basement in the rear part of the building, but in a few minutes gained such headway that, before the engines could arrive on the spot, the building was wrapped in flames. The front and back walls are left standing, but the interior has been entirely burned out. The edifice had undergone considerable alteration in 1870, and was considered one of the finest buildings in the city. While the fire was under way a part of one of the cornices fell to the ground, carrying with it a fireman named WILLIAM SIMPSON. He was instantly removed, and found to have sustained internal injuries which may prove fatal. It is difficult to ascertain the exact amount of the damages, as quite a number of stores in the immediate vicinity suffered greater or less damage from water. The loss has been estimated all the way from $50,000 to $100,000, though the former figure is probably nearer the correct amount than the latter. H.

Fire in Indiana—The Largest Car-Building Establishment in the Country Destroyed—Six Hundred Men Thrown Out of Employment.

LOUISVILLE, March 20.—The Ohio Falls Car-works, at Jeffersonville, Ind., were destroyed by fire this afternoon. The fire was discovered among the shavings in the planing-mill, supposed to have caught from a spark from the smoke-stack, and spread to the remainder of the works and the lumber-yard in the same inclosure, all of which were consumed. The works were the most extensive and complete of the kind in the country. The buildings alone covered five acres of ground, besides a number of sheds and lumber-yards. A large amount of machinery of the finest quality, with a large quantity of car material, were in the buildings. The works employed about 700 men, and did an immense business. They had orders at the time of the fire for 2,000 cars. Sixteen passenger coaches, nearly finished, a number of freight and other cars were burned. The works cleared a net profit last year of $200,000. The loss will reach $500,000, and insurance about $300,000, mostly in Northern companies. Six hundred and sixty men were in the shops at the time, nearly all of whom lost their tools. Several persons had a narrow escape from death during the fire. One man is missing, and it is feared was burned to death. Louisville engines were sent over to assist the two Government engines and one city engine from Jeffersonville, but the dry weather and high wind rendered all efforts useless. The Company say they will rebuild their works immediately.

Burning of a Hotel at Altoona.

ALTOONA, Penn., March 20.—The new extension of the Logan House took fire at midnight and was destroyed, with a portion of the east wing, the upper stories of which were burned. The furniture was mostly saved. The main building, including the large dining-room, is uninjured, and passengers arriving by the trains find accommodations. The building will be repaired at once. The loss is estimated at $60,000. The property is owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

VIRGINIA.

Partial Repudiation of the State Debt.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

RICHMOND, Va., March 20.—The State Senate today passed the bill instructing the State Treasurer not to receive West Virginia certificates as any part of the deposits required of insurance companies of other countries and States doing business in this State. The bill had already passed the House of Delegates. The preamble of the bill utterly repudiates the third of the old State debt, which the certificates represent, declaring that Virginia is not responsible for, and will not pay any portion of the third thus adjudged as West Virginia's share of the debt.

High equinoctial winds prevail here. A painter was blown from the height of the fourth story window of the Richmond House and instantly killed by the fall, and a building on Thirteenth-street, near Main, was blown partially down. E.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 21—1 A. M.—The barometer has continued rising, from the upper lakes to the Gulf, and eastward to the Atlantic, with westerly to northerly winds, falling temperature and clear weather, except over the lake region, where partly cloudy weather with occasional light snow has prevailed. North-easterly winds have continued over the western Gulf States. The barometer is high throughout the Mississippi Valley. The display of cautionary signals along the lakes will be resumed April 1.

PROBABILITIES.

The barometer will continue rising on Thursday from the lower lakes to Florida, and eastward with westerly to northerly winds and clear but continued cold weather; easterly winds will prevail over the western Gulf States; falling barometer, with winds backing to southerly, will prevail over the north-east on Thursday, and gradually extend to the Ohio Valley and over the upper lakes. The wind will probably diminish in force over the New-England and Middle States on Thursday. Dangerous winds are not anticipated for the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, excepting the brisk and high north-westerly from Cape Hatteras north-eastward.

Effects of the Late Gale at Sea and Along the Coast.

ROCKLAND, Me., March 20.—The schooner *Hyne*, Capt. HALL, of this port, with iron from Boston, which left Holmes' Hole March 4, arrived this morning, after having been twice blown off and experiencing very heavy weather. The *Hyne* arrived at Boston Bay last Friday, but met the gale of that day and was forced to sea the second time and blown off east of Cape Sable. She stove her boat, split her sail, lost her galley, sprung the bowsprit, and received other damages. Sixty tons of iron were thrown overboard to lighten the ship. One of the crew, a German, was lost off the bowsprit and drowned.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 20.—Capt. JAMES GIBBS, of Mount Vernon, reports that his vessel (a pungy) was capsized in Chesapeake Bay, off Plumm Point, in a squall, and all the crew, six men, were drowned. Capt. GIBBS states that he was aboard another pungy at the time, lying a short distance off, but was unable to render any assistance. Among the lost were THOS. KELLY and WM. TALLBOT, of Philadelphia.

The schooner *Mary E. Graham*, of Philadelphia, from Jacksonville Feb. 29, for Fall River, went ashore, yesterday morning, on Beaver Tail, R. I.

All the vessels which arrived lately report stormy passages. The following is an extract from the log of the ship *Franconia*:

"Left Newburyport on Jan. 22; on the 24th took a gale from north-west, which drove us to the south-east until the 28th, and on that day took a gale from north and west; hove the ship to under maintopsail, and found the ship laid down so low in the water, and like to roll over for want of ballast, and for the safety of the ship was obliged to put her before the wind and run south to procure more ballast, and I found Nassau to be the nearest port, where we arrived Feb. 7 and took on board what ballast we wanted, and left on the 24th; since that up to the present time, have been hove to eight times under maintopsail; March 2, had it the most severe, and was obliged to let her lie under bare poles; have been a master since 1829, and the last twenty-four days have been the severest I ever saw."

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 20.—The schooner *G. M. Wentworth*, from Philadelphia, for Calais, struck the foundation of Race Rock Light-house at midnight last night, but came off immediately, and has arrived at Newport with four feet water in the hold.

NEW-JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Jersey City Matters—Railroad Enterprises—Miscellaneous.

From Our Own Correspondent.

TRENTON, Wednesday, March 20, 1872.

There is a growing feeling among members of the Legislature in favor of some radical changes in the Commission charter of Jersey City, passed last Winter. Many Senators and others are of opinion that the whole system of legislative commissions should be abolished, and that in this particular case, this course should be taken with the least possible delay. The Government of the city is now lodged almost entirely in the hands of three Boards, with the organization of which the people had nothing whatever to do, and as a result of this irresponsible control, the utmost extravagance, with wide-spread corruption, has followed. It is said that the debt of the city now amounts to $10,000,000, the public printing alone, according to a statement in the Senate today by Mr. MCPHERSON, having last year cost the sum of $100,000. The ruling "Rings" include both Republicans and Democrats, many of whom are now under indictment and on trial in Hudson County for dishonest practices. A bill before the Senate provides practically for the abolition of the several Commissions, making them elective in future, and it is quite possible that this may pass that body; its fate in the House, however, is doubtful.

A NEW RAILROAD.

The House today passed the bill to incorporate the New-York and Philadelphia Railroad Company of New-Jersey. This project is backed by parties in Philadelphia, but believed to be mainly speculative, and for that reason is likely to fail in the Senate. The House also passed the bill to incorporate a company for the construction of a railroad between New-Brunswick and Elizabeth. This road, if built, would seriously interfere with the business of the New-Jersey Railroad—one of the corporations leased to the Pennsylvania Central.

DRAINING THE NEWARK MEADOWS.

The Senate yesterday passed the bill to repeal the charter of the Driggs Drainage Company, organized for the purpose of draining the Newark meadows. A motion was today made to reconsider, which was agreed to. A discussion then ensued on a motion to postpone for the present, which was finally adopted. The passage of the bill is now regarded as doubtful.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A bill introduced in the Senate today appropriates three thousand dollars for the propagation of shad in the River Delaware. A bill introduced in the Senate today provides for the reformation of convicts by requiring the keeper of the State Prison to procure them employment, after their discharge, in honorable branches of industry. In joint meeting, today, JAMES S. MACDONALDS was elected State Librarian. CHARLES P. STRATTON was elected Law Judge of Camden County, and RUFUS F. HARRISON as Law Judge for Essex.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Reports of Severe Fighting—Successful Completion of the Overland Telegraph.

Rio Janeiro advices of Feb. 22 say the Argentine Government has formally assumed jurisdiction over the Chaco, and has made Villa Occidental, which is a Paraguayan town, built upon territory which Bolivia asserts is indisputably hers, the capital of this new annexation, notwithstanding the treaty for its cession by Paraguay remains unnegotiated.

In the Argentine Confederation, a battle was reported to have taken place on the 6th of February, three leagues from Curuzu-Cuatia, in Corrientes, between about 3,000 insurgents and as many of the legal forces under BABIENE, and it is said the first were routed and their infantry all captured or killed. On the 8th, BABIENE began his march on the City of Corrientes.

The telegraph between Buenos Ayres and the Pacific was inaugurated as far as Mendoza on the 7th.

On the 9th inst. an insurrection of some fifty slaves occurred about thirty miles from Rio Janeiro, on the plantation of Messrs. CORLES and BANNO. Armed with their bill-hooks the slaves attacked the house about 9½ o'clock at night and tried to break open the closed doors to kill two of their masters. However, a few shots from a revolver caused them to give up the attempt, and they abandoned the plantation. A force of Police being sent up on receipt of a telegraphic dispatch, half of the slaves were captured within two or three days, and almost all the others within a week.

Mr. WILSON, member of the Commissao da Praça of Para, and manager of the gas company, has proposed to the President of the Province of Para to lay a telegraphic cable between Para and St. Thomas, thus joining Para with the European and North American lines, on condition of a small subsidy from the public powers. It was to be laid before the Provincial Assembly which meets this month of February.

Prayerful Discussion of the Woman Suffrage Question by the Chaplain of the Massachusetts Legislature.

BOSTON, March 20.—In the prayer of Chaplain CUDWORTH at the opening of the session of the Massachusetts House this afternoon, he expressed the fervent hope that the members would act favorably toward the question of woman suffrage. At the close of the prayer Mr. KIMBALL, of Boston, raised the point of order that under the rules no person not a member could discuss matters pending before the House. The Speaker sustained the point. A short spicy discussion followed, and the matter subsided.

Inquest on the Cincinnati Boiler Explosion.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—The testimony before the Coroner in the boiler explosion case is still progressing. Engineers generally agree that the boiler was strong enough for 250 pounds of steam, but that the safety-valve should have been four inches in diameter, instead of two. The boiler-manufacturers say that inferior iron was used at the time these boilers were made. One engineer found a crack two inches long in the boiler, which, he said, existed before the explosion.

Murder in Kentucky—A Half-Witted Boy Killed by a Woman.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 20.—Sunday evening an Irishman named O'BRIEN, while drunk, went to a boarding-house kept by a woman named DARR, on the Air Line Railroad, two miles beyond Georgetown, Ind. While there he insulted Mrs. DARR and was put out, leaving his hat. A son of O'BRIEN, who is reported to be half witted, went after the hat and struck and kicked Mrs. DARR, who seized an ax and struck him a fearful blow on the back of the head. He made his way, staggering and crawling, to the shanty where he boarded, and died on Monday. DARR and his wife came to New-Albany on Monday, and it is supposed they went northward on Tuesday, as nothing has since been heard from them.

Yale College—Election of Fellows.

The Corporation of Yale College have requested all graduates of the College qualified to vote at the election of Fellows at the Commencement, to send, over their signatures, to FRANKLIN B. DEXTER, their Secretary, before May 1, the names of six persons whom they desire to nominate for the office of Fellow. The names of all candidates thus nominated by more than twenty five electors will be subsequently announced. By the legislative act, "All persons who have been for five years graduated as Bachelors in any of the departments of Yale College, and all persons who have been admitted to any higher degree in Yale College, whether honorary or in course," may vote and be voted for in the coming election.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Progress of the Tariff Bill in the Senate—Embarrassment of Senators Over the Chicago Bill—Pacific Mail—Steam-Boat Regulations.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Tariff bill was resumed in the Senate today, and Mr. MORRILL, of Vermont, made a speech in support of the bill as it came from the Committee. Mr. HAMILTON, of Maryland, also spoke upon the subject of the tariff. To-morrow Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN has the floor. Mr. SHERMAN gave notice that after to-morrow he should move to limit the speeches to five minutes. Mr. BLAIR objected to that, and said after Mr. SHERMAN had spoken several hours on the bill he should not try to cut off debate. Mr. CHANDLER gave emphatic notice of his unqualified opposition to the bill.

CHICAGO RELIEF.

The Senate today passed the Chicago Relief bill, as reported from the Finance Committee, this report being the substitute for the House bill, which has been fully published. The vote was very small, only a quorum of the Senate placing their names upon the roll-call. The vote was twenty to seventeen. There was a great deal of dodging, many Senators feeling that they could not take the responsibility of voting for a measure which they felt to be unconstitutional, and on the other hand not record themselves against the measure which, as an act of charity, is indorsed so largely by all parts of the country.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

The House Committee on appropriations today considered the Senate amendments to the Legislative Appropriation bill. The appropriation of $50,000 for the civil service system was beaten by a tie vote, eight members being present. The yeas were GARFIELD and HALE, Republicans; NIBLACK and SWANN, Democrats.

The nays were DICKEY, SARGENT, PALMER and CLARKE, all Republicans. It will probably be called up again when Judge MARSHALL is present, and may then be carried.

THE UTAH CONSTITUTION.

The Utah Constitution will probably be presented in the House on Monday next.

A DEMAND ON MEXICO.

The officers of the Lower California Company have made a demand of the Mexican Government for damages incurred by the breaking up of their colony at Magdalena Bay. The Company claims a legal title, under a contract made in March, 1864, between Mexico and P. LEESE, and the Mexican Government now has the claim and the demand under consideration.

PROTECTION TO SWISS.

The Secretary of State, in response to the request of the President of the Swiss Confederation, has directed the diplomatic and consular officers of the Government to extend protection to Swiss citizens at the places of their official residence, with the understanding that the United States shall in no wise be compromised thereby.

PACIFIC MAIL.

The subsidy discussion continued and ended in the House this afternoon. The speeches were almost identical with those delivered on the previous days. Twenty-four members were cut off from speeches which they had signified their intention to make by the limitation of the discussion. Voting began at 4 o'clock, and Mr. FARNSWORTH'S amendment permitting an American register of foreign built ships was defeated by a vote of 65 to 95. The proposition involves the policy of free ships, and the vote was a test one on that subject. The free-traders were evidently disappointed at their utter defeat, and at the scanty succor which came to them from the Republican side. There was a vast deal of dodging, but the vote was fairly indicative of the temper of Congress. The Republicans who voted for the amendment were Beatty, Coburn, Freeman Clarke, Finkelnburg, Hay, Burchard, Farnsworth, Stevenson, Shanks and some others. The vote then recurred on the question of increasing the subsidy to the Pacific Company, and was taken by tellers in the midst of intense excitement. The motion was lost by 87 to 92—a vote so close that it can hardly be said to indicate the defeat of the general policy of aiding our commerce in this manner.

THE ORIGINAL BILL PASSED.

The Post-office bill, on which all this discussion has ostensibly arisen, was finished in three minutes afterward and reported to the House, where the amendments were severally concurred in. One of these, offered by Mr. UPSON, of Ohio, and adopted by a very large vote, promises to save the Government from a vast deal of fraud. It makes it a penal offense for Department clerks or officers to prosecute any claims against the Government within two years after being in its employ. A great many persons who obtain positions and leave them as soon as they possess themselves of certain facts to be used against the Government will be brought to a stand still.

REGULATION OF STEAM-BOAT TRAVEL

All the prominent underwriters of New-York City, headed by J. D. JONES, have sent a petition to Congress against a movement now on foot to strike out clause 51 in the bill recently reported by Gen. NEGLEY, from the Committee on Commerce, for the better regulation of steam-boat travel. The underwriters claim that if this is done it will break the admirable pilot system which now obtains in New-York harbor under the State laws.

NAVAL CADETS.

The following appointments as "Cadets at large" to the United States Military Academy have just been announced by the President:

W. Farnsworth Willcox, son of Gen. O. B. Willcox; William Halabird, son of Lieut.-Col. S. B. Halabird, Quarter-master, United States Army; Frederick H. French, son of Lieut.-Col. W. H. French, U. S. A.; James Jackson, of Indiana, son of Brig.-Gen. Jackson, United States Volunteers, killed in the battle of Perryville; George K. Hunter, of Ohio, son of Lieut.-Col. Hunter, Ohio Volunteers; Thomas Rodman, of Rhode Island, son of Gen. Isaac P. Rodman, United States Volunteers, killed at Antietam; Stephen Kearney Radford, son of Rear-Admiral Radford, United States Navy; Presley L. Jenkins, son of Rear-Admiral Jenkins of the Navy; Herbert P. Thayer, of California; James Bryant, a soldier in the general mounted service of the army. These appointees will be admitted to the Military Academy in the Summer of 1873, the appointments for 1872 having been made a year ago.

ROUMANIA.

Persecution of the Jews.

A correspondent writes to the London papers: "The latest news from Roumania is truly heartrending. Great as have been the cruelties committed at Ismail, they were by far exceeded by the horrors perpetrated at Cahul. This is a town with a population of about 7,000, 1,000 of whom are Jews. These were suddenly set upon by their fellow-townsmen, and for three days beaten, wounded, plundered, driven out of their houses, which were battered to ruins, and the tenants forced to take refuge in the barracks, where, instead of being defended, they were allowed again to be beaten, and for several days left without food. In these tumults heads were split open, arms broken, beards plucked out by the roots, and rapes committed. One of the sufferers, named GOLD, more courageous than the other victims, defended his house for three days, his four sons standing by him. He made them swear that, should he fall, they would continue to fight. The bands surrounding his house were for a considerable time held at bay by these brave men, but they were at last compelled to give way as the villains set fire to the premises. The damage inflicted on these Jews is valued at 40,000 ducats. The two synagogues were devastated and filthily polluted, and the sacred objects found scattered in all directions. My informant, whose veracity may be relied on, adds: 'The sufferings of the Jews of Cahul were horrible. Language fails to depict what they had to endure. I cannot suppress my tears when I recall these sufferings.' And then continues: 'They say there is scarcely a village in the whole of Bessarabian Roumania where there have not been frightful scenes. The misery is dreadful; help is needed immediately.' My informant then urges that a mass-meeting of citizens, without distinction of religion, should be forthwith convened in the metropolis, in order to protest against these scenes, which threaten, as Passover approaches, to be even more frightful."

OUR LEGISLATURE.

An Appeal for Help from New-York Merchants.

Final Introduction of the Reform Charter for Brooklyn.

The Celebrated Erie Bill Signed by the Governor—Fourth-Avenue Railroad—Settlement of the Time of Adjournment.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Wednesday, March 20, 1872.

The Assembly failed to get into Committee of the Whole today, the entire session being occupied in third readings, introduction of new bills and resolutions, referring bills to the Grinding Committee. Mr. TWOMBLY's bill to cleanse the Augean stable in New-York by ousting the remainder of the Ring officials will, therefore, have to go over till to-morrow. Among the bills passed was the act permitting convicts to choose their own spiritual advisers, and the act regulating rates of wharfage for New-York and Brooklyn. The bill to amend the charter of the New-York Life Insurance and Trust Company failed to receive the necessary vote and was lost—yeas 45, nays 41. On motion of Mr. TWOMBLY the vote was reconsidered and laid on the table for future action. A very large number of bills were cast into the hopper of the Grinding Committee, and the prospect is that the bulk of legislation for the remainder of the session, will receive whatever consideration it gets at the hands of that Committee. There are nearly a thousand bills yet remaining on the calendar of general orders in the two Houses, and if they were all to be subjected to the windy discussion that usually takes place in Committee of the Whole, the session would not close before the 4th of July.

A COMMITTEE OF MERCHANTS.

A committee, representing the commercial and shipping interests of New-York will come here to-morrow, and spend the remainder of the session, if necessary, in looking after legislation affecting the commerce of the port. No specific legislation has yet been agreed upon to remedy the abuses that have so long burdened the commerce of New-York, and the question appears to be whether the whole subject had better be comprised in a single comprehensive bill, like that already introduced, creating a Board of Commerce, or whether reform in this direction can best be subserved by piece-meal legislation. It is said that Gov. HOFFMAN is ready to correct the abuses complained of with regard to Harbor-Masters, by removing some of the worst of these officials and filling their places with better men; but the whole system of laws regulating the powers, duties and emoluments of Harbor-Masters, Port-Wardens, Pilots, Quarantine officials and the Emigrant Commission needs a thorough overhauling, and many merchants are of the opinion that all these various Boards and Departments ought to be combined and placed under the control of a single Commission.

INCREASING CAPITAL STOCK OF CORPORATIONS.

Among the new bills introduced today was one by Mr. HUSTED, authorizing any corporation formed under the laws of this State, except for banking and insurance business, to increase its capital stock from time to time by a vote of two-thirds of the directors, and the written approval of a majority of the stockholders, due notice of such increase being given at least ten days before it takes place. A certificate of the fact of such increase is required to be filed in the office of the County Clerk in the county where such corporation is located.

THE BROOKLYN CHARTER.

Mr. BERRI today introduced the charter for Brooklyn as finally agreed upon by the Reform Committees of that City. Two or three charters purporting to emanate from the Reformers have been here before, but when they came to be considered in Committee, it was found that they could not agree on the details, and the one introduced today is likely to be materially amended before it comes out of the hands of the Committee on Cities.

THE ERIE BILL SIGNED.

The Erie bill as it passed the Legislature was signed by the Governor this morning. It was the intention of those who desire the bill amended to have a resolution introduced today recalling it, but the Governor is said to have come to the conclusion, after hearing the objections to the constitutionality of the bill, that there was nothing in them, and he did not choose to withhold his signature any longer to promote ulterior purposes. It is a suspicious circumstance that the same lobby which hung around the Legislature for weeks, opposing the bill, and, when they found it was going to pass, fought for the amendment prohibiting a director of the Atlantic and Great Western from being a director in Erie, made their appearance here this morning to urge the striking out of the very amendment which they were so anxious last week to get in the bill. An effort will probably be made now to get through a supplemental bill, permitting the same individual to be a director in both companies. A bill for that purpose was introduced in the Senate this morning by Mr. O'BRIEN, of which the following is a copy. It amends the second section of the act so as to read as follows:

SEC. 2. On the second Tuesday of July next there shall be held at the office of the Erie Railway Company, in the City of New-York, an election for seventeen directors of said Company, the inspectors of which election shall be designated in writing by the Governor, the Controller and Attorney-General, and in case of the failure to attend and act of any person so designated, his place or their places may be filled by the inspector or inspectors in attendance on such day of election, at such election all the stockholders of said company shall be entitled to vote either in person or by proxy, according to the number of shares held by them respectively, subject to the regulations and provisions hereinafter contained, and to those elsewhere provided by law, and any such proxy which shall in substance authorize such voting by the attorney and which shall be authenticated in the manner provided for by law for the proof or acknowledgment of deeds shall be sufficient, provided, however, that no person shall be entitled to vote at such election under any proxy made or granted prior to the passage of this act; and the seventeen persons receiving the highest number of votes at such election shall be directors of said Company for the year next following the said second Tuesday of July. And hereafter the annual meeting of the stockholders of said Company for the election of directors shall be held on the second Tuesday of July in each year, and the directors elected thereat shall hold their offices for one year from such second Tuesday of July. No injunction shall be granted to prevent the holding of elections by this section ordered to be held on the second Tuesday of July next, nor shall an injunction be granted to prevent any person from voting on any shares at such election unless upon notice of eight days to the person claiming to own or to exercise the right of voting on such stock.

SENATORIAL BUNKUM.

The Senate spent some time this morning in making speeches, a good many of which, it is impossible to deny, were of the "bunkum" order, upon a resolution to adjourn the sessions of the Legislature *sine die* on the 10th of April next. The resolution was introduced some time since by Mr. BOWEN, and laid upon the table, and was today called up by him. Mr. BOWEN, in his remarks upon the resolution, said that he believed the Legislature could actually complete its business and leave the capital at that time, the hundred days expiring on that day. Senators MADDEN, CHATFIELD and D. P. WOOD opposed the resolution, declaring it impossible to get through the business by the time named. Mr. WOOD said it was utterly futile to attempt it, and nonsense for any one to propose it. The resolution passed by 17 to 8, it being understood that it would go to the Assembly, and there lie on the table until that body should see fit to act upon it; and then the date of adjournment will of course be changed to suit the circumstances of the case.

FOURTH-AVENUE RAILROAD TRACKS.

A very large and respectable delegation of residents and property-owners in and near Fourth-avenue is in attendance, this afternoon, before the Assembly Railroad Committee, to urge the passage of a law compelling the removal of the the railroad tracks from the surface of the avenue, or the construction of a sunken track. W. H. Vanderbilt, Hon. J. W. Beekman, Gen. Sandford, Alderman Farley, Hon. D. R. Jacques, and large numbers of other representative men are here, and the feeling on the subject seems to be intense. Unfortunately no plan seems to have been agreed upon by those urging the change. The counsel for the railroad has explained at length the rights of the Company, as understood by them, and the officers of the Company have prepared a plan which they are about to submit, and which they hope will satisfy the people.

The following gentlemen, representing the combined Associations of the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards that are urging Mr WHITBECK's bill, are at present in town: Asher Barnett, Moses M. Vail, W. R. Morton, D. R. Jacques, G. L. Schuyler G. W. Glaize, and J. J. O'Donohue.

BILLS PASSED.

There was passed in the Senate today a bill to revise the charter of Long Island City relating to the New-York and Long Island Ferry Company; to extend the power of Notary Publics in New York and Kings Counties; to amend the charter of the United States Life Insurance Company; to exempt dentists in New-York from jury duty; to establish a Board of Health in Richmond County; to provide an armory for the Twenty-third Regiment.

A message was received from the Governor transmitting the charges against Judge PRINDLE, of Chenango County, and recommending that they be investigated by the Senate, and that he be impeached if the charges be sustained.

VETO.

The Governor returned, through the hands of his Private Secretary, the bill to amend the charter of the Port Chester Savings Bank, without his approval. The bill allows the bank to invest in town bonds to the extent of thirty per cent. The Governor says there is a general law allowing such investment to the extent of ten per cent., and he regards it as unwise to increase this limit. He proceeds to show the danger to ensue from any removal of the safeguards surrounding the interests of depositors in these banks. He also states that the Superintendent of the Banking Department agrees with him in his opinion.

On motion of Mr. BADEAU the message was laid aside.

BILLS PASSED IN THE ASSEMBLY.

The Assembly passed the following bills:

To incorporate the St. Agnes Cemetery in Syracuse; providing for the payment of additional compensation to the clerks in the State Department; authorizing the Brooklyn and Coney Island Railroad to lay an additional track to Hamilton-avenue Ferry.

REPORTS IN THE ASSEMBLY.

The following bills were reported in the Assembly:

Authorizing the Supervisors of Westchester County to purchase City Island bridge; authorizing the construction of a city railroad in Auburn; granting additional powers to the Broadway Railroad Company, Brooklyn; authorizing the Brooklyn City Railroad Company to extend their tracks; to authorize a street railroad from Auburn to Willow Brook; regulating the fare on the Gloversville and Northville Railroad; changing the name of the Brooklyn City, Hunter's Point and Prospect Park Railroad Company; to facilitate the construction of the Lake Ontario Shore Railroad.

BILLS PASSED BY THE ASSEMBLY.

Amending the charter of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, so that a board of managers can select a place for the annual meetings; regulating rates of wharfage in New-York; to amend the charter of the New-York Life Insurance, and amending the act to supply Poughkeepsie with water.

Mr. BURNS introduced a bill for a reformatory for girls to be located in Syracuse.

REPORTS.

By Mr. HAWKINS—Authorizing Oswego to borrow money for political purposes; also, the Rochester Free Academy bill; also, the Oswego Police bill; also, amending the charter of Newburg; also, against exempting property of the Oswego Fire Department from taxation, which was agreed to.

THE MILLER INVESTIGATION.

The House Insurance Committee investigating the charges against Superintendent MILLER, held a meeting this afternoon and examined one witness, GEORGE J. GARDNER, Secretary of the New-York State Life Insurance Company, who testified that the charges for the examination of his company were not excessive. It was agreed by the Committee to close the case as soon as possible—perhaps in two more sessions.

Amendments to be Made to the Charter of the Committee of Seventy.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ALBANY, March 20.—The Senate Committee on Cities have had a long Executive Session again this afternoon and evening on the Seventy's charter. They have decided to amend the charter so as to provide for two Boards of the Common Council, to consist of thirty members each, six from each Senatorial District, to be elected on the cumulative voting plan. This amendment, I understand, is assented to by the Committee of Seventy, or those representing them here. It has also been decided to have the Police, Health and Fire Commission appointed by Judges CURTIS and SEDGWICK, of the Superior Court, and to consist of an equal number of Democrats and Republicans, the object being to remove the Commission from political influence. Further than this, the Committee have not yet come to an agreement, but the probability is, that amendments will be reported which will retain Controller GREEN and Commissioner VAN NORT in office, and provide for the appointment of a Chamberlain by the Mayor. Some of the Committee of Seventy say that if all these amendments are adopted they will disown the charter as a creature of theirs, and abandon all further interest in its fate. The Senate Committee on Commerce and Navigation had a hearing, this evening, on the bill to regulate the Williamsburg ferries. The bill is the same as that killed in the Assembly a few days ago. Mayor KALBFLEISCH, Supervisor SCHOLES and others, of Brooklyn, appeared to advocate the bill, and the counsel for the Company spoke in opposition.

POSTAGE-STAMP INVESTIGATION

Testimony Before the Special Senate Committee in Albany.

ALBANY, March 20.—The Senate special Committee appointed to investigate the matter of legislative postage took the following testimony this evening:

JAMES S. PLUMB sworn. I am a druggist in Syracuse.

Q.—Have you, during the last ten years, purchased postage-stamps in large quantities from either of the former Clerks of the two Houses? A.—I purchased stamps of JAMES TERWILLIGER, the former Clerk of the Senate; the first lot in May or June, 1867; I believe it was about $15 worth.

Q.—Have you a book account of that purchase? A.—I presume there is a book entry of it.

Q.—Did you purchase at a discount? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—What price did you pay? A.—I think the discount was about fifteen per cent.

Q.—Were they three-cent stamps? A.—Yes, Sir; I will explain why I have not the books of entry here; I was at the time in the employ of WM. M. TOBEY, who kept a drug-store; it was customary for druggists in that place to keep stamps to accommodate customers; he had been in the habit of buying them at the Post-office and selling them at the same price they cost him; I suggested to Mr. TOBEY that he might do better than that, and I would purchase stamps for him; this first purchase I made was for WM. M. TOBEY; I made but one purchase for him, and afterward he made his own.

Q.—Do you know as to the purchases he made afterward? A.—I do not know how many, but I think there were two or three purchases made by him within my own recollection.

Q.—Of Mr. TERWILLIGER? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—Do you know as to the amount? A.—I do not; I do not know that I ever saw the entries upon his books of the amounts he purchased; he made his own purchases and bargains relative to discount of purchases.

Q.—Did you ever make a purchase for yourself afterward? A.—I did; on the 6th day of July, 1869, I bought $36 worth of three cent stamps, for which I paid him $30; that is the only one; I never purchased any revenue stamps of him.

Questions by Mr. JOHNSON—Do you know of any other parties buying of TERWILLIGER in Syracuse? A.—STANLEY BAGG.

Q.—Any other? A.—No, Sir; not of my personal knowledge; in the Spring of 1866, I think, I was in the employ of STANLEY BAGG, who kept a banking institution; during his absence in Connecticut there were some stamps left there by Mr. TERWILLIGER, and passed to his credit.

Q.—Did TERWILLIGER account in any way for his possession of those stamps? A.—No, Sir; I do not know that he did; there were no questions asked and no explanation inquired after in regard to it.

The Committee adjourned *sine die*.

Scarcity of Water in the Canals.

From the Syracuse Journal, March 19.

The canal authorities have serious apprehensions that there will be a greater scarcity of water the coming season than has been experienced before since the canals were constructed. It is said that the reservoirs were never so low at this season of the year, and the principal dependence for filling them is in heavy rains, since there is very little snow on the watersheds. Commissioner WRIGHT has issued orders throughout the Middle Division closing the outlets of all the reservoirs, that no water be wasted, and all that falls be saved. This action by Commissioner WRIGHT will effect serious damage to manufacturers owning mill property upon some of the streams, particularly those upon the Skaneateles Lake outlet and on Seneca River. The proprietors of some have had the enterprise and foresight to provide themselves with steam-engines, and will not be seriously affected by the cutting off of the water-power. With others it will go hard, particularly with their operators, since the canal seldom opens before the 1st of May.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

Montreal is to have a new comic weekly newspaper.

Hon. HENRY WILSON is to speak in New-Brunswick, N. J., on Monday evening next.

The Japanese are continuing the inspection of industrial establishments of Philadelphia, Penn.

Two Portuguese were killed at Rockpoint, R. I., yesterday, by a premature explosion, while blasting rocks.

The United States steamer *Powhatan* and monitor *Cononicus* arrived at Lewes, Del., yesterday.

Plattekill Falls Hotel, the new mountain house near Saugerties, was burned Tuesday. Loss $24,000.

A heavy north-west gale prevailed along the Hudson all day yesterday. Navigation to Poughkeepsie is again closed.

The United States flag-ship *Worcester*, with a party of excursionists on board, returned, yesterday to Havana from Matanzas.

GRIFFIN TAYLOR's residence, in Clifton, Ohio, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $25,000.

The Democrats concede a Republican majority of fifty-six in the New-Hampshire Legislature. It is enough.

Gov. ITO, accompanied by Mr. FIKOULSKI, left Washington last night for New-York on his return to Japan.

All the stories of spotted fever epidemic in the vicinity of Scranton, Penn., circulated during the last month, were gross exaggerations.

The Republicans have, for the first time, carried the City of Burlington, N. J., and elected their Mayor and all the other municipal officers.

Dr. GOSHORN, the absconding Postmaster of Dyersburg, Tenn., has been arrested and brought to Memphis, by the authorities.

A negro who shot several persons on President's Island, Tenn., on Sunday, was committed to the Memphis jail, yesterday, without bail.

Mr. EDWIN HALDEMAN, one of the oldest iron-masters on the Susquehanna, died, Tuesday night, at his residence at Chickies, Penn.

The California Legislature has passed a bill compelling parties commencing libel suits to give security in advance for the costs.

The photographers of St. Louis are making extensive preparations for a National Photographers' Convention, to be held there early in May.

The English mail which left Halifax on Thursday of last week, arrived at St. John, N. B., Tuesday night. It came through nearly all the way on sleighs.

The scarlet fever, measles and small-pox are raging to a fearful extent in the rural districts of Schuylkill and adjoining counties of Pennsylvania.

The weather yesterday, in Maine, was very severe. One train on the Maine Central Railroad was blocked in the snow all the afternoon.

A full and detailed report of the pork-packing in the West has been published. The total number packed was 4,868,448, against 3,695,251 last year.

Bids for $500,000 St. Louis Water bonds were opened yesterday. The successful bidder was the National Bank of the State of Missouri, at 98¾.

The bark *Gemini* arrived at Philadelphia from Foo-Chow, China, yesterday, with a cargo of tea, being the first direct importation for that port since 1841.

A fire broke out yesterday in the wheel-house of the Massachusetts Mills, Lowell, Mass., and destroyed the roof and contents of the upper story. Loss, $4,000.

J. G. WILSON and B. F. DOWELLS are both mentioned for the Republican nomination for Congress in Oregon. Gov. GROVER will, probably, be the Democrtic candidate.

A fire last evening entirely destroyed the large wooden building on A street, South Boston, occupied by JOHN SOUTHER & Co. as a car and machine shop. Loss, $10,000.

Hon. WM. SCHLEY, one of the most distinguished members of the Baltimore Bar, died yesterday morning, at the Marine Hospital, of small-pox, in the seventy-third year of his age.

The officers of the Massachusetts volunteers have formed an association, with Gen. LUTHER STEPHENSON, Jr., as President, to place a monument over the grave of Gov. ANDREW.

Congressman C. W. WILLARD, of Vermont, makes haste to deny that he favors the Cincinnati movement, and says he will support the nominees of the Philadelphia Convention.

A fire broke out, yesterday, among a mass of small wooden buildings, occupied by Irish families, in Boston Highlands, several of which were destroyed. The loss is about $10,000.

The steam-ship *Colorado*, from Panama, arrived at San Francisco yesterday. On the 18th inst., THOMAS LABAURDETTA, a Frenchman, during a fit of insanity, jumped overboard, and was drowned.

A fire occurred at 7 o'clock yesterday morning in the upper part of Simmons & Slocum's Ethiopian Opera-house, Philadelphia. The interior and roof were destroyed. The loss will exceed $50,000.

Two seamen belonging to the steam-ship *Cuba* have been arrested at Liverpool and committed to await trial on a charge of stealing a number of Italian bank notes which were shipped for New York by that vessel.

The California Legislature has passed an act enabling half the stockholders of any mining company to call a meeting, and giving two-thirds of the whole number power to remove the trustees and elect others.

The Toronto *Globe* fears that the passage of Gen. BUTLER's bill relating to the fisheries might induce the Canadian fishermen to desert their own vessels and sail under American colors.

A Maine man, who is building a vessel of about fifty tons, has permitted or compelled his two little sons, nine and eleven years old, to saw out much of the material with a common hand-splitting saw.

Hon. JOHN H. SELKREG, in the Ithaca *Journal*, says: "The dignity and honor of the Senate, and the interests of the party of which JAMES WOOD claims to be a member, demand his swift and stern punishment."

In a private letter to Gen. HAWLEY, Vice-President COLFAX says that as all parties professed to be pleased with the result in New-Hampshire, it would be a great pity to sadden any with a Democratic victory in Connecticut.

The train which left Fonda yesterday morning at 9:35 o'clock, on the Fonda, Johnstown and Gloversville Railroad, with three engines, is fast in a snow-bank a mile long and six to ten feet deep, near Gloversville.

Reports from different parts of the Dominion of Canada indicate Tuesday night to have been one of the coldest of the season. The opening of the Welland and St. Lawrence Canal will be very much later than usual.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway was held at Pittsburg, Penn., yesterday. The earnings of the road were $8,400,000, and $400,000 for the branches; total expenses, $8,500,000.

The extensive sash and blind factory of ROBINSON & CUNNINGHAM, on Clinton-avenue, together with the agricultural implement manufactory, and the Baltimore car-wheel factory adjoining, were burned yesterday. They covered an area of one block.

The house of a farmer named ROBERT BOWLES, near Theresa, was burned on Monday night. The family were obliged to leave the house in their night-clothes. Mr. BOWLES was so severely burned while attempting to save the children that he died the next day.

The contemplated review of the English volunteers at Brighton on Easter Monday will not take place, as sufficient land for the manœuvres of the troops cannot be obtained. Arrangements are being made, however, for a review at Portsmouth.

In the case of CRANE *vs.* The Union Pacific Railroad Company, pending in the United States District Court for Iowa, Judge LANE has rendered a decision, holding that the eastern terminus of said road, as fixed under the existing laws, is not in Iowa, but in Nebraska.

On her way up to Poughkeepsie, Tuesday night, the propeller *Hasbrouck* sunk the sloop *Troubler*, of Haverstraw, off Fifty-ninth-street. The Captain and crew were saved. The sloop had no lights out, and was loaded with 50,000 brick. The *Hasbrouck* was only slightly damaged.

The oldest navigators at Buffalo say they never knew so much ice in Lake Erie, with so little snow. For nearly eighty miles out the ice measures three feet and six inches thick. Teams are crossing at points never known before. It is feared that navigation will not be open until late in May.

Mr. BELMONT, in a letter to a Wisconsin Democrat, says that a Western city will probably be chosen for the meeting of the Democratic National Convention. He opposes any agitation of the subject until after the Cincinnati Convention, and by this wins the decided condemnation of the Wisconsin Democrats.

CABLE TELEGRAMS.

Another Discussion on the American Claims Question.

Mr. Gladstone Declines to Commit the Ministry.

Inability of the Tichborne Claimant to Obtain Bail.

Preparations for the Race Between Oxford and Cambridge.

Destruction by Fire of the Dusseldorf Academy of Arts.

THE AMERICAN CLAIMS.

Desire of Members of Parliament to Have That Body Negotiate all Future Treaties.

LONDON, March 20.—In the House of Commons today, Mr. HORSMAN, in accordance with his before-expressed intention, again asked Her Majesty's Government to assure Parliament that in case fresh negotiations relative to the *Alabama* claims were entered upon with the American Government no proposals would be finally accepted until they had received the sanction of Parliament. Mr. GLADSTONE, in reply to Mr. HORSMAN's question, said he informed the honorable gentleman last night that he had been unable to consult with his colleagues on the subject. He added, that he was yet without the opportunity to do so, and consequently was not able to give the assurance asked for. He would state, however, that Parliament would be informed at all times of the spirit, aim, direction and policy of the Government on all important questions. As far as the *Alabama* claims were concerned, he believed the speech of Her Majesty at the opening of the session gave all the necessary information. Mr. GLADSTONE, in concluding, said it would be impossible for the Government to delegate to Parliament the power of making treaties. Mr. HORSMAN, in reply to the last portion of Mr. GLADSTONE's remarks, cited the fact that the American Senate had the power to ratify or reject any treaty which the Government may negotiate. Mr. GLADSTONE repeated his assertion that it would be impossible to allow Parliament the treaty-making power, but at the same time stated that it was the duty of the Government to keep Parliament informed of any alteration in the Governmental policy.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Tichborne Claimant Unable to Obtain Bail—Oxford and Cambridge Race.

LONDON, March 20.—When the case of the Tichborne claimant, now in prison on the charge of perjury, was called in Court today, no one appeared to bail him, as was expected, and it was announced that he was unable to obtain bail. The application of the claimant to be released on giving bonds for his appearance, was therefore indefinitely postponed. Among the persons ejected from the galleries of the House of Commons last night, when Lord GEORGE HAMILTON called attention to the demonstrations of the visitors there, was Hon. ROBERT C. SCHENCK, the United States Minister to England. Sir WILFRED LAWSON, member for Carlisle, and Mr. GEO. ANDERSON, member for Glasgow, in addition to Mr. AUBERSON HERBERT, supported the resolution of Sir CHARLES DILKE in the House of Commons last night, to investigate the expenses of the Crown. Mr. HERBERT and Mr. ANDERSON were among the tellers appointed to count the vote on Sir CHARLES' motion. The interest in the forthcoming race between the Oxford and Cambridge crews is increasing. The men are out daily for practice, and their rowing is witnessed by large numbers of persons who gather along the shores. The betting is now seven to four, in favor of the Cambridge crew.

GERMANY.

Disastrous Fire at Dusseldorf—The Council Hall, Academy of Arts, and Many Valuable Pictures Destroyed.

DUSSELDORF, March 20.—A conflagration, attended with most disastrous results, occurred here last night. The Town Council Hall and the world-famed Academy of Art were burned, and a large number of the most valuable paintings in the latter building were destroyed.

BERLIN, March 20.—The Court physicians having informed His Majesty, the Emperor WILLIAM, who is now convalescent, that care is demanded on his part in order to regain his health, it has been determined to dispense with the usual congratulatory birthday celebration at the palace.

An Imperial decree has been issued convening the Reichstag in session on the 8th of April.

SPAIN.

Another Carlist Revolution Threatening.

PARIS, March 20.—Information has been received in this city from Spain that the Carlists are endeavoring to import arms, with the object of rising against the Government. It is stated, however, that internal dissensions prevail in the organization, which it is thought may prevent any demonstration.

The appointment of Admiral JOSE POLO DE BARNABE as Spanish Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States is officially published today. Señor MANRICIO LOPEZ ROBERTS, whom Admiral POLO relieves at Washington, has been invested by King AMADEUS with the grand cross of the Order of Charles III.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Financial Questions in France and Italy.

VERSAILLES, March 20.—The estimates of the Minister of the Interior, for the expenses of his Department for the present fiscal year, were submitted to the National Assembly today, and ask for a large increase in the appropriation for the support of the Police, whose numbers have been greatly augmented.

ROME, March 20—The Italian Chamber of Deputies was engaged today in the discussion of the Budget, which has been made a Cabinet question by the Ministry.

ROME, March 20.—It is rumored that Herr VON ARNIM, who recently arrived here from Berlin, is the bearer of a proposition for a treaty of defensive alliance between Italy and Germany, whereby the possession of Lorraine and Elsass is guaranteed to Germany and Rome to Italy, and both parties are to unite their armies in case of war.

PARIS, March 20.—It has been proved that Marshal BAZAINE dined with Prince FREDERICK CHARLES of Prussia shortly before the capitulation of Metz.

Singular Manifestation of Spite—In Bed for Twenty Years.

From the Schenectady Star, March 18.

About forty years ago there resided in the town of Jackson, Washington County, a well-to-do farmer by the name of FERGUSON. He was industrious and frugal, but after a time became addicted to the use of intoxicating drinks, and when under the influence of his favorite beverage would be liberal to such an extent that he would give away any property which might be at his disposal at the time. Fearing that he would thus squander all his effects, a commission was obtained and the property placed in the hands of his son. When the papers were served on the old man he remarked, "You have taken my property from me, have you, and are obliged to support and take care of me? Well, then, take care of me." He immediately took to his bed and continued to remain there, day and night, for twenty years. For the first few years he would get up and shave himself every Saturday, and then immediately take his bed again, but for the last fifteen years of his life he was waited upon as an infant, notwithstanding he enjoyed good health and was in the possession of all his faculties, mental and physical.

GUARDING AGAINST EPIDEMIC.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Disintering the Dead—Delinquent Physicians—Weekly Statistics—Number of Deaths.

The Board of Health met yesterday. Permission was granted, on the application of Rev. GEORGE B. DRAPER, of St. Andrew's Church, in Harlem, to disinter and remove without the City limits the remains of deceased persons buried in the cemetery attached to the church, in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, between Third and Fourth avenues. The object is to obtain ground for the purpose of rebuilding the Church, which was burned down in November last.

The following physicians were reported as having violated section 122 of the Sanitary Code, in neglecting to report cases of contagious diseases in their care: A. SCHUTTE, of No. 204 Allen-street, attended a case of small-pox—GEORGE BETHMANN, aged eleven months—six or eight days without report. HARVEY S. GAY, of No. 49 West Twelfth-street, who attended WILLIE PFAFF, sick with small pox, at No. 357 Grand-street since the 4th of March. JOHN P. ERMENTRANT, of No. 265 East Fourth-street, who had attended ANNIE MACKENSON, of No. 200 Third-street, suffering from small-pox, for ten days, without having reported the case to the Bureau of Sanitary Inspection. WM. L. HARDING, of No. 169 Hudson-street, who had attended —— PARKER, at No. 149 West-street, the patient having died from small-pox.

The attorney was directed to prosecute the physicians mentioned above.

On motion of Judge BOSWORTH, the counsel of the Board was directed to examine into the cases of delinquent physicians, and where willful neglect is shown to prosecute the physicians to the extreme penalty of the law.

The slaughter-houses of the City are reported as being in good sanitary condition, with the exception of that occupied by THOS. LOUGHRAN, on the north side of Forty-seventh-street, east of First-avenue, which is reported as being in a filthy condition, and notice sent March 18, 1872.

The following is a comparative statement of contagious diseases reported for the two weeks ending March 9 and 16, 1872: Week ending March 9—Typus fever 3, typhoid fever 6, scarlet fever 80, measles 14, diphtheria 14, small-pox 75. Week ending March 16—Typhus fever 3, typhoid fever 6, scarlet fever 72, measles 25, diphtheria 9, small-pox 74.

The Register of Records reports as follows: During the past week there were registered 591 deaths, being a decrease of 50 from the previous week, and 54 more than for the corresponding week of 1871; zymotic diseases produced 141 deaths; constitutional, 118; local, 280; developmental, 39, and violent causes, 13. Small-pox occasioned 17 deaths, or decrease of 7 from the previous week. The deaths by measles diminished from 11 to 9; by scarlatina, from 29 to 20; by diphtheria and croup together, from 25 to 24; by whooping-cough, from 21 to 14, and by diarrhœal diseases from 18 to 17. The mortality of typhus fever increased from 2 to 4, and that of typhoid fever from 4 to 8. There were 2 deaths from remittent fever and 5 from spotted fever, against 3 and 6 respectively the preceding week. The deaths from phthisis pulmonalis diminished from 114 to 80, and those from the local respiratory affections from 124 to 121.

The Captain of the Sanitary Company of Police reports the following as the amount of meat, fish, &c., seized and confiscated as unfit for human food: Sheep, 9; hogs, 8; veal, ("carcass,") 3; veal, ("bob,") 98; poultry, 150 pounds; fish, 55,000 pounds.

The Board then adjourned.

Death of Two Children from Spotted Fever.

Coroner HERRMAN has been notified to hold an inquest in the case of AGNES and CAROLINE KOCH, aged respectively seven and a half years and five and a half years, who had died at their parents' residence, No. 266 Stanton-street, under suspicious circumstances. Dr. KLOPSCH, of No. 155 Rivington-street, who attended the deceased children, stated that AGNES was taken sick on Tuesday morning and died at 6 o'clock the same evening, and her sister was taken sick on Tuesday evening and died yesterday morning, and he supposed that death had resulted from some poison. Mrs. KOCH, the mother of the children, states that they had partaken very heartily of pig's heart and liver, and had also eaten pop-corn and cocoa-nut candy, and were soon after taken sick. The parents and two other children also partook of the dish, but no ill effects had ensued to them. The pig's heart had been purchased from a man who was peddling it about the streets.

Dr. JOHN BEACH yesterday afternoon made a superficial examination of the bodies of the deceased children, and is of the opinion that death had resulted from cerebro-spinal meningitis, or spotted fever. The bodies were removed to the Morgue, where a post-mortem examination will be made to ascertain definitely the cause of death.

Another Seizure of Meat—Proposed Visit of the Controller to the Markets.

The Clerk of Washington Market seized, yesterday, nineteen calves, "bob veal," which were offered for sale by TITUS BROTHERS, No. 129 West-street. There were also seized five calves, brought to market by WOLF, of New-Jersey, and many other pieces of meat unfit for human food.

Controller GREEN is to visit the City markets today, to make himself personally familiar with the dealers and their wants. It is understood that several members of the Sanitary Committee will accompany him.

The Typhoid Patients in Brooklyn Removed.

Fifteen of the forty-two females lying ill with typhoid fever in the House of the Good Shepherd were removed by the Health Officer yesterday, in coaches, to Flatbush. The disease is believed to have been communicated by a dissipated woman who was last week given an asylum in the establishment. But one death has thus far occurred, and no apprehension whatever is entertained of the disease becoming epidemic.

Trial of the Jersey City Police Commissioners.

The trial of the Jersey City Police Commissioners for malfeasance was yesterday continued before Judge BEDLE in the Hudson County Court. Upon the opening of the Court the impaneling of a jury was completed without difficulty. Mr. GARRETTSON read the charges against the members of the Board. Messrs. Pritchard, Edmonson, Hulton, Goetze and Gross, and Chief of Police McWilliams, are charged with having conspired to defraud the city in paying the Police Captains more than the amount of their salary, it is alleged, to make up for certain political assessments.

EDWARD T. MCHONNEY was the first witness called. He testified as follows: I am Captain of the First Precinct; I identify the pay-rolls presented, and my own signature and that of Inspector DICKSON; in October I inserted $204 17 for the Chief by his order, and also $104 17 even for myself and Inspector DICKSON; the salary of the Chief is $2,500; at the time there was no money coming to me; my salary is $1,300 a year; in October I received $158 34; in January, $108 34; in December, $158 34; in November, $208 34; in February, $84; this month I have not received any pay; neither the Police Commissioner, the Chief or Mr. DICKSON ever asked a return of this money; I was asked to contribute for political purposes, and assessed myself $50; I did not consider it a reimbursement; I did not give it in order to retain my position, but to assist the party; I supposed my additional pay was for extra services; I had asked for an advance on my salary, in order to secure my Captain's uniform; the money I gave for political purposes did not come from these payments; I borrowed the $50 from the doorman; I had been accustomed to contribute under the old Board, and gave the money voluntarily.

Capt. VAN RIPER was placed on the stand, and testified that he had asked for an advance of salary; and in the last half of October had received $50; this money he had received orders to deduct from the February pay roll, and had done so, thus returning it; he had contributed $50 for political purposes; had done so before, and no return of his $50 was made to him.

Capt. PARKER, of the Third, and Capt. BENSON, of the Fourth Precinct, were placed on the stand, and testified, their evidence being precisely similar to that of Capt. VAN RIPER. The Court adjourned at the conclusion of Capt. BENSON's testimony.

A Man Chased by a Mad Dog.

The passengers on the 11:50 South-side Railroad train witnessed an exciting scene yesterday. A man named WILLIAMS, living at Amityville, tried to kill a mad dog, but only wounded him. The dog attacked him and bit him in two places, tearing a piece of flesh from his leg. Man and dog ran along the railroad track for nearly a mile, when the man reeled exhausted down an embankment. The train was close behind them. The pilot-engine struck the dog and knocked him into pieces. WILLIAMS is badly, if not fatally, injured.

The Largest Iron Ship in the World.

The full-rigged ship *Strathearn*, from Glasgow, now lying at the foot of Jefferson-street, East River, is the largest iron vessel in the world. She was built in the Clyde by BARCLAY, CURLE & Co. for ALLEN BROS., of London, about a year since, and is registered at 1,705 tons, English measurement. The length is 255 feet, depth 24 feet, 40-foot beam, and when loaded she draws 22 feet of water. She is extra heavily plated and fastened, is supposed to be "tight as a bottle," and has been insured by Lloyds' agents at A A 1 1 for 100 years, the highest class of any ship ever built. She has two decks, and her anchor, windlass, rudder, &c., are worked by steam. Capt. GODMAN, the commander, has three assistant officers and fifty general hands. The ship is intended as a passenger vessel to ply between Glasgow and Montreal, and has as yet only made one return passage, which she did in fifty-nine days. She is expected to accommodate 600 steerage and thirty cabin passengers. Owing to extreme bad weather she was forty-four days on her last trip from Glasgow to New-York, but this is not regarded as an indication of her sailing qualities, the first officer remarking that he crossed the Atlantic seventy-two times and never experienced such gales. The general construction of the vessel is of the finest type, and everything on board evidences thorough order and strength. She will return to Liverpool in a few days, and will then commence her regular trips to Montreal and return.

MAYOR HALL'S CASE.

Reply of the Counsel for the Prosecution—Judge Daly Requires Time to Decide—What Recorder Hackett Thinks.

The argument of the counsel for the prosecution of Mayor HALL, in reply to the counsel for the defense, was begun yesterday before Judge DALY. The Mayor and his counsel were present, with the exception of Mr. STOUGHTON, who it appears was unavoidably absent. The prosecution was represented by District-Attorney SULLIVAN, Ex-Judge TREMAIN, Messrs. PECKHAM and CLINTON. The jury, having been permitted to remain away until today, were not present, and the draped chair stood out in a marked manner among the vacant seats. But few spectators were in the Court, and a large number of the chairs within the railing—a few days ago filled with anxious politicians and lawyers eagerly watching the proceedings—were yesterday standing empty, the interest in this remarkable trial having evidently somewhat subsided.

Mr. PECKHAM began the reply by alluding to the point insisted upon by Mr. STOUGHTON, that it would be necessary, under the statute, for the names of twenty-four jurors to be placed in the box, and the jury drawn therefrom. As there was no contemporaneous case in the American practice, he contended that the English practice should be followed, and the eleven jurors put back, with an additional one selected from the new panel. In reply to Mr. BURRILL's points, relative to the jurisdiction of the present presiding Judge in the case under the order of the Recorder, he contended that the Judge had jurisdiction under the statute, independent of the order to try the case then before the Court, or any other case that might be brought before him.

Judge DALY said the order had nothing to do with his sitting as presiding Judge in that Court. He was perfectly clear on the point that the statute gave a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas the right to occupy the bench in that Court whenever it should be vacant from any cause, and all proceedings under his jurisdiction would be perfectly regular. He, therefore, had no doubt of the regularity of the proceedings up to and until the death of the juror CLARK, but after that event had occurred, a doubt arose in his mind in relation to his right to hold Court when a Court presided over by the Recorder was actually in session. This was the point he was most anxious for the counsel to discuss—all regularity previous to that event being clear in his mind.

Mr. PECKHAM then argued that the Recorder had power to open his Court for the March term, independent of the fact that the November Term had been extended by Judge DALY. That the presiding Judge had the power to extend that Term there could be no doubt, and extend it until the public necessity which called for the extension should have ceased. It had been extended into and beyond the terms of December, January, February and March, and the statute commanded that those terms should be commenced on the first Monday in each month, despite the extended term. He trusted that the presiding Judge would not hesitate to continue the trial of this important cause.

Judge DALY said he had never yet hesitated to do a public duty when he felt that he was acting in the right, nor would he hesitate now; but if the exercise of jurisdiction was doubtful, and there was the slightest chance of its being set aside, he should certainly hesitate to exercise the functions of presiding Judge. If it could be shown that he had by law the right to go on, he should not hesitate to proceed; but he could not overlook the fact that the Recorder's Court was in session—a fact which would not have affected the trial in the ordinary way, but the death of the juror had put a new feature on the case.

Mr. PECKHAM contended that the Recorder's Court had nothing to do with it. The City Judge had commenced the November Term, and it had been extended by him. The City Judge was still absent from the City, and the presiding Judge was holding the term of that official. He then cited the law showing that the Judge had power to call a new panel of jurors at any time, and also had the power to excuse jurors from serving. The Court had also the power to discharge the old panel when the new panel came in.

Ex-Judge TREMAIN argued that the reasons which prevailed in February in the case of the Recorder, causing his disability in presiding at the trial of Mayor HALL, still existed; and although they might prevent him from presiding in that particular case, they would not interfere with his jurisdiction in any other case that might be brought before him for trial. The absence of the City Judge is the reason for the presence of a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and now that he had patiently watched this all-important case, so far as it had gone, it would be a disgrace to the Bench for any other Judge to step in and assume the right to try the cause. If one or the other of the two Judges, the Recorder or the City Judge, were to enter this Court and take his seat on the bench, then the Judge of the Court of Common Pleas would have to give way; but the Recorder has declared his disability to preside, and the City Judge is not here. Judge DALY came into that Court to dispose of this cause—the trial of the Chief Magistrate for a grave misdemeanor—and he should be permitted to dispose of it. The counsel begged that the presiding Judge would not withdraw of his own volition until the duty—a duty more important than all the cases that had been tried for years—had been performed. Under the statute the present presiding Judge had the power to take up new cases, and there was nothing in the law to limit that power.

Judge DALY said it was understood that he had come into that Court to try that cause, and that only.

Judge TREMAIN admitted that fact, but contended that the cause had not been concluded, and could not be until it was finally determined. Besides which, the jury had not yet been discharged. The Judge had admitted that he had the power to extend the term for the trial of this cause.

Judge DALY said there was a difference between extending the term for the continuance of a trial and extending it for the taking up of a new trial.

Mr. TREMAIN said he understood that, but contended that Judge DALY should go on with the case. Although he could have no other belief than that the presiding Judge would have only honest reasons and intentions for withdrawing from the case, the counsel said he must remonstrate and even solemnly protest against his doing so in this stage of the trial, as it would be virtually depriving the people of their right to demand justice in the case of the Chief Magistrate equally with that of the lowest criminal on the calendar.

The case was then further adjourned until today at 11 o'clock, but Judge DALY announced that he would not render his decision until Saturday, as he required time to study the law and authorities presented by the counsel on both sides.

RECORDER HACKETT ON THE TRIAL.

Recorder HACKETT presided yesterday in the March Term of the General Sessions, on which occasion the question was raised as to his power to hold Court during the continuation of the trial of Mayor HALL. The objection was, however, overruled, it being the opinion of the Recorder that the Court presided over by Judge DALY ceased with the death of the juror, and that the continuation of the trial was *coram non judice*, therefore utterly illegal and invalid.

The New Coinage Bill.

At the request of the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, we publish the following important notice:

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, NEW-YORK, March 20, 1872.

At the last meeting of the Chamber, a copy of the bill now pending in the House of Representatives of the United States, "revising and amending the laws relative to the mints, assay offices and coinage of the United States," was referred for examination and report to one of the standing committees of the Chamber. The bill proposes to reduce the silver dollar from 412 grains, the present weight, to 384 grains, "to be a legal tender at that denominational value for any amount not exceeding five dollars, in any one payment." The bill contains other provisions, in respect to the gold and silver to be used in the mint, especially deserving the attention of merchants and others dealing in the precious metals. By direction of the Chairman of the Committee of the Chamber, Mr. S. B. RUGGLES, the undersigned respectfully invites any members, or other persons interested in the subject, to furnish in writing, without delay, any statement of facts or reasons which they may deem desirable in facilitating the proper examination of the subject.

GEORGE WILSON,
Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Business at General Sessions Yesterday.

Recorder HACKETT, in the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, sentenced MERITZ ROSENTHAL to one year in the Penitentiary for grand larceny. WM. DENNIS and MARY FLORENCE, arraigned for the abduction from a public school of CAROLINE H. MOORE, were acquitted. The girl was proved to have been an inmate of the House of Refuge, having been placed there after her rescue from a Greene-street house of ill-fame. She was given over to the care of her relatives.

The Assistant District-Attorney complained in the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, that there were no printed calendars, owing to the appropriation for printing and stationery having run out; many of the Court employes were still waiting for the payment of salaries, and the allowance for heating the Court was also exhausted, which explained the frigid temperature prevailing.

FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

SENATE....WASHINGTON, Wednesday, March 20.

On motion of Mr. MORTON, the bill authorizing the construction of a railway bridge across the Ohio River, at or near Evansville, Ind., was taken up and discussed until the expiration of the morning hour.

CHICAGO RELIEF.

The Senate then resumed the consideration of the Chicago Relief bill.

Mr. CARPENTER again argued that it was unconstitutional.

Mr. TRUMBULL argued that it was not.

Several amendments were offered and rejected, and the bill as reported from the Finance Committee was then passed—yeas 20, nays 17.

SALE OF SHAWNEE LANDS.

Mr. CALDWELL, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported without amendment the bill to confirm the sales of the Shawnee Indian lands in Kansas.

THE TARIFF BILL.

Mr. SHERMAN moved to resume the consideration of the Tariff bill.

Mr. CHANDLER announced that he would oppose the consideration of this Tariff bill at every stage, because he regarded it as a bill on which the Senate ought not to waste a moment.

The bill was then taken up, and Mr. MORRILL, of Vermont, addressed the Senate at length.

Mr. HAMILTON, of Maryland, followed with an argument against a protective and in favor of a revenue tariff.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN obtained the floor, but yielded for a motion to go into Executive Session, which was carried, and the Senate soon after adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. MAYNARD introduced a bill to pension the widow of Admiral FARRAGUT at the rate of one-fourth his pay at the time of his death. Referred.

PUBLISHING THE LAWS IN NEWSPAPERS.

Mr. SPEER, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of State for information as to the amounts paid to newspapers for publishing the laws of the United States. Adopted.

OHIO RIVER BRIDGES.

The House, on motion of Mr. HOLMAN, took up the bill reported by the Committee on Commerce to authorize the construction of bridges across the Ohio River, and to prescribe their dimensions. The bill requires all bridges above the mouth of the Big Sandy to have one span not less than ninety feet in height above low water, and forty feet above the highest water; all below that point to have one span not less than 100 feet high above low water, and forty feet above the highest water; and all below the Covington and Cincinnati Suspension Bridge to have, in addition to such high span, a pivot draw giving two clear openings of 160 feet each.

After considerable discussion the bill was passed.

BILLS PASSED.

Mr. SAWYER, from the Committee on Commerce, reported back with amendments the Senate bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River, at Clinton, Iowa, for the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad. The amendments were agreed to and the bill passed.

Mr. CONGER, from the same Committee, reported a bill to issue an American register to the Dutch bark *Alice Tarleton*, of Boston. Passed.

TWEED'S YACHT.

The House bill to change the name of the pleasure yacht *Lois* to that of *Sea Witch* was taken from the table and the Senate amendment to it was concurred in, which changes the name of the yacht *William M. Tweed* to that of *Julia*.

PROTECTION OF SEAMEN.

Mr. CONGER also reported a bill to authorize the appointment of Shipping Commissioners to superintend the shipping and discharge of seamen on American merchant ships, and for the further protection of seamen. He explained that the bill was modeled upon the English law on that subject, and that it received the approval of the mercantile community, and that the Commissioners were to be appointed by the United States Circuit Judges. The bill is very voluminous, containing sixty-seven sections. Shipping articles or agreements are to be signed by each seaman in the presence of a Commissioner, any ship carrying a seaman to sea, except a stowaway, without his signing such an agreement shall incur a penalty of $200. Stipulations for the allotment of wages must be inserted in the agreement; no advance of wages, or advance note, shall be given to any person but the seaman himself. Seamen are to be discharged and to receive their wages in presence of a shipping commissioner, and to receive certificates of discharge; all questions in dispute between masters and seamen are to be decided by the Commissioner. The Commissioner is to take charge of the wages and effects of the seaman dying in the United States, and deliver the same to the United States Circuit Court of the district. The bill provides penalties against seamen for desertion, disobedience and other offenses. The wages of seamen is not to be subject to attachment or assignment. The act of soliciting seamen to become lodgers at boarding houses within twenty-four hours after the arrival of their ships, is made an offense punishable by fine and imprisonment. The bill contains also a schedule of the Commissioners fees, fixing two dollars as the fee for engaging each member of the crew, and fifty cents for discharging him, and five dollars for an apprenticeship agreement. It contains, also, a scale of provisions to be allowed and served out to the crew during the voyage.

After considerable discussion, suggestions and amendments, the bill went over until to-morrow.

CIVIL SERVICE.

The bill for the reorganization of the civil service, which was the special order for today, was, on motion of Mr. WILLARD, further postponed till this day four weeks.

POST-OFFICE APPROPRIATIONS.

The House then, at 2½, went into Committee of the Whole on the Post-office Appropriation bill, Mr. WHEELER in the chair, the pending question being on the increase of subsidy to the China mail steamers. The time for debate was extended to 4 o'clock, when the vote should be taken.

The speakers in favor of the subsidy were Messrs. Williams of New-York, Packard of Indiana, Hazelton of New-Jersey, Dickey, Coughlan, Sypher, Hawley, Peters and Carroll; and those opposed were Messrs. Hay of Illinois, Stevenson, Storm, Whitthorne, Marshall, Randall and Merrick.

The Committee, at 4 o'clock, proceeded to vote on the various amendments.

Mr. CROCKER's amendment, permitting the Government to take possession of the steamers in case of war, was agreed to.

The next question was on Mr. FARNSWORTH's substitute, keeping the subsidy at $500,000, and allowing the service to be performed by foreign-built ships. It was rejected by 65 to 95.

The amendment making the service semi-monthly and the compensation $1,000,000, was defeated by 87 to 92.

The announcement of the vote was applauded on the Democratic side.

The Committee then proceeded with the remaining portion of the bill.

Mr. UPSON moved an amendment to prohibit employes of the departments from acting as agents or attorneys for the prosecution of claims within two years after leaving office. Agreed to.

Mr. FARNSWORTH moved to amend by applying the same rule to members of Congress, but it was ruled out of order, Mr. UPSON's amendment having been admitted under a suspension of the rules.

The Committee rose and reported the bill to the House. The bill was passed, and the House, at 5 o'clock, adjourned.

LAUGHING-GAS.

Death in a Dental Establishment—Nitrous Oxide the Supposed Cause.

Mrs. ANNIE O'SHAUGHNESSY, a woman thirty-five years of age, who resided at the corner of Twentieth-street and Avenue B, died suddenly, yesterday afternoon, in the dental establishment of J. B. NEWBROUGH, No. 128 West Thirty-fourth-street, from inhalation of nitrous oxide, or laughing-gas. Mrs. O'SHAUGHNESSY, whose husband is collecting agent for the Wilkesbarre Coal Company, had been suffering for a long time past from toothache, and finally determined to have them extracted. Accompanied by Mrs. BIGLEY, of No. 372 East Eighth-street, she proceeded to the establishment of Mr. NEWBROUGH. She was placed in the operating chair, and Mr. NEWBROUGH spoke to her about inhaling gas. The woman appeared to have a great dread of doing so, but finally consented to take it to alleviate the excessive pain. The gas was administered, but did not appear to have much effect upon her. Fresh gas was procured and Mrs. O'SHAUGHNESSY, after inhaling two or three times, refused to take any more, and insisted upon having her teeth extracted without. At this juncture Mr. NEWBROUGH asserts that his patient was not perceptibly under the influence of the gas. According to his instructions from Mrs. O'SHAUGHNESSY, NEWBROUGH proceeded to draw seven teeth, which painful operation the lady endured with great courage and fortitude. After the last tooth was extracted, however, it was noticed that the woman was acting very strangely, and in a few moments she swooned. Mr. NEWBROUGH at once applied the galvanic battery, and used every means in his power to restore her to consciousness, but without effect. Dr. OTIS was summoned, and arrived soon after. All the efforts of the medical men, however, proved futile, and death ensued in twenty minutes from the first attack. Coroner HERRMAN was notified and gave permission for the removal of the body of the deceased to her late residence, where a post-mortem examination will be made. Mr. O'SHAUGHNESSY states that his wife was always in good health, although of a nervous, excitable temperament. Death may have resulted from disease of the heart, accelerated by the excitement and pain.

Destructive Fire in Jersey City—Loss, $45,000.

At 4½ o'clock yesterday morning the building known as the glass-house, at the corner of Henderson and Bay streets, Jersey City, was discovered to be on fire. The building was owned by HENRY CARROLL, and occupied by GOESSLING & Co., as glass manufacturers. The fire spread, and soon the buildings opposite, on the south side of Bay-street, were on fire. Two of the buildings were occupied by three families each. They were broken open by the Police, and the inmates awakened in time to save their lives. Sergt. GILKINSON and Officer EATON were overcome by the heat and smoke. Many of the persons occupying the building had to be carried out, being almost stifled so that they could not be awakened. None were, however, seriously injured. The fire also reached a stable belonging to WM. KNIGHT, and the tool-house of the Jersey City Water-works, which were both considerably damaged. GOESSLING & Co. lose $35,000, and their insurance, though not exactly ascertained, is thought to reach $18,000 or $20,000. They had a large quantity of valuable finished stock in the building. HENRY CARROLL, who owned the glass-house, loses $6,000; insured for fully that amount. The loss on the dwellings, which were owned by JANE MCCULLONGHE, will reach $2,500; insured in the Globe Insurance Company. WM. KNIGHT lost on stable about $300, and the loss on the Water-works tool-house will reach $500; both insured. The inmates of the tenement-houses lose almost all their furniture.

THE GENEVA WATCH SWINDLE.

Exposure at Jefferson Market—The Watches Said to be Totally Worthless.

On the 28th of February, WEYH LITZENBERG, residing at No. 418 West Eighteenth-street, and employed in a Broadway store, lured by the advertisements of the "Geneva Watch Company," No. 763 Broadway, went into that store and purchased a watch for $10 35, receiving a printed guarantee that the movement was of American manufacture and the cases solid silver. LITZENBERG put the watch in his pocket and walked out, after paying for it, and went to the store in which he is employed. About ten minutes after he looked at the watch and found it had stopped, and nothing could get it to go. He went back to No. 763 Broadway and was told that no watches were exchanged or taken back once they had left the store. Mr. LITZENBERG had the movements examined by TIFFANY & Co., who state with regard to it that "the watch movement marked 'JOHN ELLERY, Boston, Mass.,' has been submitted to our chief watch-maker, who pronounces it a cheap Swiss manufacture, and utterly worthless as a watch." The cases of the watch, guaranteed to be solid silver, were tested by Mr. ISAIAH W. SYLVESTER, of the United States Assay Office, who states that they only contained $1 46 worth of silver, the remainder being a composition of copper and iron.

Mr. EDWARD S. NEWELL, a merchant residing in Brooklyn, also bought a watch at $10 35 in the Elias store, receiving the same guarantees as Mr. LITZENBERG. He, too, found the watch worthless. He had the works examined by Mr. JOHN PRESCOTT, of BALL & BLACK's, who says that the works were not made in Boston, but are a bad Swiss imitation of an American watch. It is the most imperfect and worst-finished movement he had ever seen. It is utterly worthless as a timepiece.

Messrs. LITZENBERG and NEWELL, accompanied by Mr. SYLVESTER and a gentleman connected with a morning paper, went to Jefferson Market, yesterday, and applied to Justice LEDWITH for warrants for the arrest of HENRY P. and ELLIS H. ELIAS, on a charge of swindling. A warrant was issued for the arrest of HENRY P. ELIAS on Mr. LITZENBERG's and Mr. SYLVESTER's affidavits. As Mr. NEWELL could not swear to any of the ELIASES selling him the watch, the warrant was issued for the clerk, "John Doe," who sold the watch. ELIAS will likely be at Court this morning.

The following cable correspondence is important as showing the fallacy of the ELIAS' representations:

Cable dispatch sent to Mr. CHARLES H. UPTON, United States Consul at Geneva:

"Is there any such firm as the Geneva Watch Company? Is it bankrupt? Has it sent $2,000,000 worth of watches to be sold here to close the concern? If not, send affidavits on which to base an action by our authorities."

Answer:

GENEVA—No word of truth. UPTON.

PIER INCUMBRANCES.

Authority of the Commissioners of Docks to Remove Private Property from the Piers—Decision of Judge Barrett.

It will be remembered, as already published in the TIMES, that certain owners of private property erected on piers on the North and East Rivers, obtained from a Judge of the Supreme Court a temporary injunction restraining the Commissioners of Docks from removing their property on the piers, or interfering with their use by the lessees. Subsequently, a motion was made before Judge BARRETT, on behalf of the Commissioners, to vacate the injunction. Judge BARRETT has now rendered his decision on that motion, vacating the injunction. The Judge's opinion rendered in the case is as follows:

"It being important that these cases should be speedily decided, it is better to state briefly the conclusions which have been arrived at, rather than postpone the judgment until my duties permit a full exposition of the reasons upon which these conclusions are based. The authority which the Legislature has from time to time conferred upon the Corporation of the City of New-York to make grants of water privileges and wharf property is subject to governmental restrictions and regulations, and is limited to such use and enjoyment of the wharves, piers and slips as shall not interfere with their free and unobstructed use for the general purposes of trade and commerce. The owners of these water-fronts are entitled to the fullest protection in their exclusive right to wharfage, and they cannot be deprived of that right without due compensation. But no one, whether he is the lessee of a public or the owner of a private wharf, has any right to erect any building upon the street or wharf, or between them respectively and the river upon which they shall respectively front and adjoin, nor otherwise permanently to obstruct such street or wharf or such intermediate space. The barges, offices, dumping-board, and other structures complained of are in the nature of such permanent obstructions, and in a legal sense are nuisances. Being such nuisances, it need scarcely be added that they are not entitled to the protection of a Court of Equity. The Department of Docks has the power to require the removal of these obstructions and the dredging of the slips, under the provision with respect to 'exclusive government and regulation.' For such purpose of government and regulation the wharves are to be treated as highways, and directions for the removal of unlawful obstructions should be upheld to the same extent as Police regulations with respect to the streets of the City. Neither the order of a Harbor-Master nor the permit of the Commissioner of Public Works, nor the certificate of the Superintendent of Buildings given under the direction of this Court can avail any of these plaintiffs. It is not in the power of any official to permit unlawful obstructions to the highway, nor to legalize what in law amounts to a nuisance. As to the Superintendent of Buildings, his certificate and the order of this Court simply authorized the character of the structure considered with reference to the fire laws and its inherent safety as a building, nothing more. There need however be no conflict of authority between the Department of Docks and the Captain of the Port and the Harbor-Masters. The Department of Docks in removing obstructions to the free use of the wharves and preparing them for the general purposes of commerce (prior to the adoption of any general plan of water front,) is simply providing additional accommodations for ships and vessels, the proper use of which will as usual be regulated by and be subject to the direction of the Harbor-Masters, the Captain of the Port or the Commissioners of Pilots; also exercising appropriate functions in removing such obstructions as may be essential to secure dispatch in loading and unloading vessels. The power of interfering with or removing vessels thus assigned to particular piers for the purpose of loading or unloading is conferred upon the Department of Docks only when necessary for the convenient prosecution of any work undertaken and being done by them. Thus the Department of Docks, instead of conflicting with, really promotes the functions of the other officers by increasing the supply of wharfage, which is at once placed at the disposal of the Harbor-Masters for the legitimate purposes of commerce. The injunction in each case must be dissolved, with $10 costs.

Funeral Obsequies of Ex-Judge Whiting.

The funeral obsequies of the late JAMES T. WHITING took place at 2 P. M. yesterday from St. Bartholomew's Church, in the presence of many leading members of the Bar and a large number of the friends of the deceased. The remains were inclosed in a rose-wood casket, placed at the entrance to the middle aisle, bearing the words, "JAMES TRAYNOR WHITING; born April 30, 1803; died March 16, 1872." The impressive funeral ceremony of the Episcopal Church was read by the officiating clergymen, Rev. Drs. COOKE and WILSON. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Hiram Barney, Charles P. Kirkland, John K. Porter, Henry Nichols, Joseph J. Bicknell, Francis H. Jenks, —— Baldwin, and W. J. Ladd. The remains were then removed to Woodlawn Cemetery, where the final interment took place.

Board of Public Instruction.

The Board of Public Instruction met yesterday afternoon, the President in the chair. A complaint was made by Rev. J. C. B. HEATH against PETER EWALD, a school trustee of the Nineteenth Ward, stating that he kept a gaming-house, and petitioning for his removal from the position. It was referred to the appropriate Committee. A requisition was made for the sum of $578,700 from the school funds. A protest was made against the removal of Miss LILLIE SWAINE from the position of teacher by the trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, but on motion the whole matter was laid over for further investigation. It was

Resolved, That the Committee of By-laws of the Department of Public Instruction be authorized to prepare an amendment to the By-laws, which require that every candidate for admission to the Normal College shall have attained her fourteenth year.

The Board then adjourned.

The Croton Water Supply.

A meeting of the New-York Board of Underwriters was held yesterday, at which a long communication from Chief-Engineer TRACY, of the Department of Public Works, was read, similar in substance to the one printed in Monday's TIMES, protesting against the repeal of the bill of February, 1871, a proposition to abolish which is now pending. After some discussion the following resolution was adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That the New-York Board of Underwriters do hereby protest against the repeal of the bill of February, 1871, introduced by Judge ROBERTSON; and the officers and members of this Board do hereby request that said bill of February, 1871, shall not be repealed; and that the wants of the City of New-York require the purchase of the lakes and ponds originally proposed to be purchased for the use of the City.

Probable Homicide.

Deputy Coroner MARSH yesterday made a post-mortem examination of the remains of THOMAS DOYLE, of No. 31 Washington-street, whose death is supposed to have resulted from violence received at the hands of WM. MURPHY during a fracas in a bar-room on Sunday night last. Death was found to have been caused by compression of the brain, caused by violence. MURPHY, the assailant, has disappeared, and efforts are being made to secure his arrest. The inquest has been indefinitely postponed.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—MARCH 20.

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—10¼ A. M.

$1,000 U.S.5-20 C., '65.n.	111	20,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '68.	112⅛

SALES FROM 10 TO 10½ A. M.

200	Western Union...	70⅛	1200	Ohio & Miss......	45
700	do..........	70⅛	1100	do......	44⅞
200	do........c.	70⅛	300	do......	45
700	N. Y. C. & H......	94⅛	1000	Union Pacific....	37⅛
500	Erie.....	49⅛	300	do.....c.	37⅛
1800	do.....	48⅞	500	do.....s3.	37⅛
1500	do.....	49	500	do.....	37⅛
300	do.....	48⅞	900	do.....c.	37⅛
4100	do.....	49	500	do.....	37⅛
1200	do.....	49⅛	500	do.....	37⅛
700	do.....	49⅛	900	do.....c.	37⅛
600	do.....c.	49⅛	2900	do.....	37⅛
1000	do.....	49⅛	500	North-western....	78⅛
100	do.....	49⅛	500	do.....	78⅛
2700	do.....	49	200	do.....s3.	78⅛
1500	do.....	48⅞	500	Rock Island.....	113
400	do.....	48⅞	300	do.....	112⅞
300	do.....	48⅞	600	do.....	113
2700	do.....	48⅞	400	Bos., H. & Erie...	6
900	do.....	48⅞	300	do.....	5⅞
1800	do.....	48⅞	400	do.....	5¾
400	do.....c.	48⅞	500	do.....	5⅞
700	do.....c.	48⅞	1000	do.....	6
400	do.....	48	1000	do.....	5⅞
300	do.....	48⅞	400	do.....b3.	6
1300	do.....	48⅞	200	St. L. & I. M.....	78⅛
2300	do.....	48⅞	1000	Pacific Mail.....	61⅛
1900	do.....	48⅞	200	do.....	61⅛
600	do.....	48⅞	700	do.....	61⅛
600	do.....	48⅞	1000	do.....	61⅛
1100	do.....c.	48⅞	1900	do.....b3.	61⅛
1400	Lake Shore.....	92⅛	200	do.....	61⅛
1600	do.....	92⅛	200	U. S. Express.....	73
500	do.....	92⅛			

FIRST BOARD.

$15,000	Tenn. St. 6s.n.	67	7	Erie.....	49⅛
20,000	Va. 6s, Consol..	57	40	do.....	49
13,000	do.....	57⅛	800	do.....	48⅞
10,000	N. C. 6s, old bs.	38⅛	100	do.....c.	48⅞
1,000	S. C. St. 6s, new, Jan. & July..	39	1000	do.....	48⅞
5,000	do.....	35⅛	100	do.....s3.	48⅞
5,000	do.....	38⅛	100	do.....s30.	48⅞
5,000	do.....	38⅛	35	do.....	48⅞
20,000	do.....	38⅛	300	do..bet. call.	48⅞
10,000	do.....s15.	38⅛	1600	do.....	49
20,000	do.....	35⅛	1400	do.....	49⅛
7,000	do.....	38⅛	500	do.....s3.	49
5,000	S. C. St. 6s, new, Oct. & April..	36	500	do.....	48⅞
			1800	do.....	48⅞
			2400	do.....	48⅞
13,000	Mo. St. 6s....s3.	95⅛	200	do.....	48⅞
1,000	Br'kl'n 6s, W.L.	96	1100	do.....	48⅞
2,000	N. Y. C. 6s, '83..	93⅛	600	do.....	48⅞
1,000	N. Y. C. 7s, '76..	102	500	do.....	48⅞
4,000	Erie 2d.....	97	100	Union Pacific....c.	37⅛
5,000	Erie 3d.....	95	1000	do.....	37⅛
5,000	Long Dock bds.	94	200	do..bet. call.	37⅛
2,000	Cen. Pac. G. bs.	102⅛	1400	do.....	37⅛
17,000	Un. Pac. 1st....	92	500	do.....b3.	37⅛
2,800	Un. Pac. L. Gts.	84⅛	800	do.....	37⅛
20,000	do.....s3.	84⅛	1500	do.....b3.	37⅛
5,000	Un. Pac. 10s, In.	83⅛	700	do.....	37⅛
2,000	A. & T. H. 2d Pf.	88	700	do.....	37⅛
9,000	C. & N. W. Con.	95	1600	do.....	37⅛
2,000	T. & W. 1st, St. L. Div.	90	500	do.....s3.	37⅛
			1700	do.....b3.	37⅛
1,000	T. & W. Ex. bs.	86⅛	3700	do.....	37⅛
1,000	Han. & Nap. 1st.	90⅛	1500	do.....b3.	37⅛
1,000	do.....	90	1000	do.....	37⅛
1,000	Gal. & Chi. 1st.	104	200	do.....b3.	37⅛
5,000	Mor. & Es. 1st.	104⅛	2100	do.....	37⅛
5,000	C.&R.I.&P.7s.c.	101	1200	do.....	37⅛
10,000	Cle. & Pitts. 2d.	99⅛	300	do.....c.	37⅛
3,000	Ohio & Miss. 2d	87	1200	do.....c.	37⅛
3,000	St.L. & I. M. 1st.	95	2700	do.....c.	37⅛
1,000	M.&St.P.8s, 1st.	107	300	do.....	37⅛
5,000	Jol. & Chi. 1st..	108	100	Mich Central.....	114
1,000	C., C. & I.C. 1st.	93⅛	200	Cle. & P.tts. Gtd..	90⅛
5,000	do.....	93⅛	20	do.....	91
15,000	do.....	93⅛	200	do..bet. call.	90⅛
5,000	Bt., H. & E. 1st.	42⅛	100	Chi. & N. W....c.	78⅛
5,000	do.....	42⅛	200	do.....s3.	78⅛
5,000	do.....b3.	42⅛	1200	do..bet. call.	78⅛
1,000	B., H. & E. Gtd.	48	700	do.....	78¾
1,000	do.....	49	900	do.....b3.	78¾
1,000	C., P. & A., n...	98	200	do.....c.	78⅛
2,000	D., M. & T. 1st.	98	100	N. J. Cen. Scrip...	106⅛
15,000	North Mo. 1st..	91⅛	200	Chi. & R. I...b. c.	113⅛
24	Merchants' Bank.	120	20	Del., Lack. & W..	111
5	Bank of Republic.	115	200	Ohio & Miss.....	45⅛
10	B'k of Com'wealth.	81⅛	200	do...b. c..s3.	45
300	Con. Coal of Md...	38⅛	700	do.....	45
300	do..bet. call.	38⅛	200	St. L. & I. M.....	78⅛
100	Mariposa Mining.	⅛	300	do..bet. call.	78⅛
100	Mariposa Pref.....	1⅛	11	Morris & Essex...	96⅛
800	Pacific Mail.....	61⅛	100	do.....	95⅛
400	do...b. c..s3.	61⅛	200	do.....	95¾
700	do.....c.	61⅛	300	Mil. & St. P..b. c.	58⅛
500	do.....c.	61¾	200	do.....	58¾
300	do.....	61¾	200	do.....	58⅞
1300	do.....	61⅛	1000	T., W. & W.b. c.c.	75⅛
900	do.....	61⅛	600	do.....	75⅛
500	West. Un. Tel...c.	70⅞	1300	B., H. & E...b. c.	6⅛
600	do..bet. call.	70⅞	400	do.....	6⅛
200	do.....s3.	70⅛	200	do.....c.	6⅛
300	do.....	70⅞	200	do.....b3.	6⅛
200	Wells-Fargo Ex..	76	200	do.....	6⅛
33	do.....	75⅛	500	Han. & St. Jos..c.	41
250	Am. M. Un. Ex...	73	500	do.....c.	41⅛
100	U. S. Express.....	72¾	1600	do.....c.	41⅛
600	do.....	72⅛	1400	do.....c.	41⅛
100	do.....b30.	73	1300	do.....c.	41⅛
13	do.....	72¾	400	do.....c.	41⅜
100	N. Y. C. & H......	94⅜	1000	do.....c.	41⅛
500	do....b. c..c.	94¾	2300	do.....c.	41
200	do.....	94⅝	900	do.....c.	41⅛
10000	N.Y.C. & H. Cts.	89⅛	500	do...b. c...c.	42⅛
600	L. S. & M. S..b. c.	92⅜			

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—12½ AND 2½ P. M.

$45,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '64.....s3.	111¾	$2,000 U.S.5-20 C., '67.s.	111⅛
15,000 U.S.5-20 C., '65.n.	111	20,000 U. S. 6s, Cur.s3.	115⅛
5,000 U. S. 5-20 R., '67.	111¾	20,000 do.....	115⅛

SALES FROM 12½ TO 1 P. M.

1100	Western Union...	70⅝	2000	do.....	48⅛
400	Pacific Mail.....	61½	400	do.....	48⅝
200	do.....b3.	61⅛	1700	do.....	48¾
300	do.....	61⅜	800	do.....	48⅞
200	N.Y.C. & Hudson.	94⅛	1800	do.....	49
1400	Erie.....	48⅝	1000	Union Pacific....	37½
2200	do.....	48¼	400	do.....b3.	37⅝
500	do.....	48⅜	200	do.....	37⅝
1800	do.....	48¾	900	do.....b3.	37¾
600	do.....c.	48⅝	500	Lake Shore.....	92½
300	do.....	48½	200	North-western....	78½
200	do.....	48⅜	200	Bos., H. & E...b3.	6⅛

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

10,000	Tenn. St 6s, old..	67	100	Am. Mer. Un. Ex.	72¼
35,000	Va. 6s, Consol..	57⅛	15	do.....	72⅛
10,000	S. Car. St. 6s, n., Jan. & July....	38⅛	24	N. Y. C. & H. R...	94¼
			200	do..bet. call..	94⅜
25,000	do.....b30.	39	20000	N.Y.C.& H.Ctfs.	89⅞
20,000	Mo. St. 6s.....	95¾	100	Clev. & Pitts. Gtd.	90⅝
1,000	Erie 1st M.....	103	200	do....b. c.b3.	90¾
5,000	Union Pac. 1st M.	91⅞	500	L.S.& M. So.b.c.c.	92⅞
5,000	Cen. P. Gold bds.	102	700	do.....	93
3,000	Gt. Wes. 1st M., '88.	95⅛	400	do.....	93⅛
1,000	T., P.&W. 1st, E.D.	94	1100	Chi. & N. W.b. c.	78⅝
1,000	Harlem 1st M...	102⅛	500	do.....	78¾
100	Quicksilver Pref..	40⅜	700	do.....	78⅞
100	Mariposa Pref.....	1⅞	10	Chi. & N. W. Pf...	91⅛
200	Canton Co.....	92¼	300	Chi. & R. I...b. c.	113⅛
100	United States Ex.	72¾	200	do.....	113
100	do.....s3.	72⅝	100	Alton & T. H. Pf.	64
200	Pacific Mail..b. c.	61⅜	200	do...b. c.b30.	65
2600	do.....	61¼	194	Dub. & S. C..b. c.	74
800	do.....	61⅜	100	St. L. & Iron M...	78⅛
300	do.....	61½	500	do.....	79
200	Reading.....	113⅛	100	do.....b60.	79⅛
300	Erie.....	48⅝	100	Han. & St. Jo.....	43
39	do.....	48⅜	200	do.....s15.	43
2000	do...bet. call.	49	300	do...bet. call.	43⅛
300	do.....	48⅞	100	H. & St. Jo. Pf....	64
400	do.....	48¾	900	Bos., H. & E..b. c.	6⅛
300	do.....	48⅝	200	do.....	6¼
2400	do.....	48⅞	900	do.....	6⅜
500	do.....c.	48⅞	700	do.....	6⅛
700	do.....	49	200	do.....	6⅜
1000	do.....	49⅛	700	do.....	6⅝
1600	do.....	49¼	1000	Un. Pac..b. c.s3.	37⅝
500	do.....	49⅛	1800	do.....	37⅝
500	do.....	49	500	do.....b3.	37¾
600	do.....s3.	49⅛	1300	do.....	37¾
300	do.....	49¼	200	do.....b3.	37⅞
1100	do.....	49⅜	2000	do.....	37⅞
400	do.....b3.	49⅜	1000	do.....b3.	38
2300	do.....	49½	4500	do.....	38
4900	do.....	49⅝	500	do.....	38
3200	do.....	49½	1100	do.....	38⅛
1300	do.....	49¾	300	do.....	38¼
500	do.....	49½			

WEDNESDAY, March 20—P. M.

The Wall-street markets opened today with a decided change in the leading features of interest, Erie being current at lower rates, and Sterling Exchange returning to the figures of two days ago. It appears that Exchange, which was freely pressed yesterday in connection with shipments of Erie, was withdrawn for want of satisfactory prices, and the stock which had been intended for the European market was sold here, on a sufficient average profit.

The Money market opened fully under the influence of yesterday's excessive rates; but the large disbursements of Coin during the day—nearly $2,500,000—for Five-twenties redeemed in Washington, had their effect toward the close of Bank hours. Down to 2 P. M., the brokers paid interest and a bonus of 1-32@1-16 ⅌ cent. for the day's accommodation; but the closing business, was done at 6@7 ⅌ cent. interest merely. The Statute still in force against lending money for more than Seven ⅌ cent. per annum interest, works in this way: when money can no longer be had at that rate, (or at the same figure, payable in coin,) no one dares to bid eight ⅌ cent. or to offer loans at that rate. Accordingly, a bonus is tacked on to legal interest, varying at any of the fractions to which the street is accustomed; today as high as 1-16 ⅌ cent.; yesterday as as high as an eighth. Because it is unlawful to borrow at eight ⅌ cent. the broker pays 18, 27, or, at an eighth per diem, 47 ⅌ cent. per annum. It is not to be supposed that such outrageous charges for money advanced on perfectly negotiable securities, would be paid, if the Statute on Usury, so-called, were wiped out from the Statute book. We have more than once spoken of the undignified spectacle of great Banking-houses trafficking in this manner, and we must say, also, that it is in great part due to this practice that the attempt at a lock-up of currency is so often made. It is reported, and we are inclined to trust the report, that a leading speculator is to do his worst in the way of making Money artificially tight to-morrow. He may or may not succeed in replacing his stocks advantageously, in consequence of the manœuvre, but he could not hope to make the operation other than a losing one, so far as interest goes, but for the absurd rates which our Usury laws will enable him to exact, upon such portions of his cash means as he may at the last moment, elect to let loose.

The market for the Public Funds has been steady and dull, with a good support on the London quotations. This department of the Stock Exchange, however, continues very dull. The 1867s are 112⅜ bid, 109⅜ for the New Fives, and 115⅛ for Currency Sixes.

Gold has been steady at 109⅜@109⅝ all day, with the exception of a short time at noon, when 109⅜ was bid. The remittances from Washington increased the cost of carrying Gold, the charge rising from 3 ⅌ cent. interest at the beginning of business to 6 ⅌ cent., at which it remained.

The withdrawal of the bills against Erie, and not any great influx of buyers of Sterling for remittance, stiffened Exchange again, the afternoon quotations for prime bills being 109⅜ for sixty days Sight, and 110 @110⅛ for Short Sight. Good bankers' bills have sold at 109 5-16 for long, and 110, less a commission, for short. There was perhaps rather more offering of drafts upon Amsterdam in connection, we presume, with sales of Union Pacific to that market, where the price has been equal to 38⅛@38⅜ all day.

Erie opened at 49⅛ this morning, touched 48 in less than half an hour, and did not clear 49 again until the middle of the day. News was received from Albany, and confirmed in the afternoon papers, that the Southmayd bill was at length signed by the Governor. For the rest of the day, the range of price was higher, 50⅛ being the highest point reached; from which, at the very last, it re-acted to 49⅜. The quotations in Amsterdam were lower today, 45⅛@45⅛, and in London it reached 44⅛@44⅛@44⅛ for Protection Committee's Certificates; no price being reported for American Certificates. We understand that the sum of £200,000 sterling, placed at the disposal of the Directors by their London agents, Messrs. BISCHOFFSHEIM & GOLDSCHMIDT, was all drawn for by Saturday.

Union Pacific has advanced very steadily from 37@38⅛, with considerable transactions at the advancing quotations. Down to the close of business, the Amsterdam market was reported steady, under sales for New-York account; and this agrees with other intimations which we receive of a somewhat better inquiry for our Railroad Securities. We presume that the Michigan Central Managers in Boston are correctly advised, in deciding to raise the funds for their projected double track by a bond, placed in Europe. It would seem the true policy of the stockholders to do this, and not jeopardize their regular rate of dividend.

Pacific Mail was the other chief interest. After moving between 61⅛ and 61⅜ for some time it rose on the easier look of Money this afternoon, to 61⅞, and close upon 5 o'clock, jumped to 62⅞, on a report that the Subsidy had passed the Lower House of Congress. This report was instantly followed by the news that it was defeated, instead of being carried, and the price at once fell to 59⅛, rallying as the Room closed, to 59⅜. In the excitement of the moment, Union Pacific fell to 37⅞, returning at once to 38⅛.

Of the rest of the market, the sales list offers a pretty complete history. The 10,000 shares of Hannibal and St. Joseph found buyers at 41@42, and the price afterward reached 44⅞. The general market strengthened after 3 P. M., and closed steady, about ¼ ⅌ cent. below the highest figures.

The State Bonds were steady for Tennessees, advancing on Virginia Consols, rather lower for New South Carolinas, and suddenly strengthened on the plain bonds of the State of Missouri.

CLOSING PRICES—MARCH 20.

	Tuesday.	Wednesday.
United States New 5s	109⅛	109⅜
U. S. 5-20s, '67, May and Nov.	112⅜	112⅜
U. S. 5-20s, '67, Jan. and July.	112⅜	112⅜
American Gold	109⅜	109⅜
Bills on London, 60 days	109⅛	109⅜
N. Y. Central and Hudson	94⅜	94⅜
N. Y. C. and Hud. Debt Ctfs.	89⅛	89⅛
Reading	113⅛	113⅛
Chicago and Rock Island	113⅛	113⅛
North-west Common	78⅜	79
North-west Preferred	92	92⅛
Pacific Mail	61⅛	59⅛
St. Paul Preferred	79⅛	79⅛
St. Paul Common	59⅛	58⅜
Ohio and Mississippi	45	45⅛
Toledo and Wabash	75⅜	75⅛
Western Telegraph	70⅛	70⅛
Erie	50⅛	49⅜
Union Pacific	37	38⅛
Lake Shore	92⅜	93

At the very close of the Hall of the Exchange the general market was very irregular.

The latest prices for the various Public Funds of the United States were as follows:

6 ⅌ cent. reg., '81	114⅛	5-20 coup., n. i., '65	110⅛
6 ⅌ cent. coup., '81	115⅛	5-20 reg., '67	111⅛
5-20 reg., '62	111⅛	5-20 coup., '67	112⅛
5-20 coup., '62	111⅛	5-20 coup., '68	112⅛
5-20 reg., '64	111⅛	10-40 reg	107⅛
5-20 coup., '64	111⅛	10-40 coup	108
5-20 reg., '65	111⅛	5s coup., '81	109⅛
5-20 coup., '65	112⅛	6s currency	115
5-20 reg., n. i., '65	110⅛		

The following bids were made for the State Bonds:

Tennessee 6s, old	67	Ark.7s, Miss.O.&R.R.	46
Tennessee 6s, new	67	Ark.7s, Ark.Central R.	46
Virginia 6s, old	52	Ohio 6s, 1875	101
Virginia 6s, new	58⅛	Ohio 6s, 1881	104
Vir. 6s, registered, old.	45	Indiana 5s	99
Vir. 6s, consolid'd bds.	57⅛	Michigan 6s, 1873	100
Vir. 6s, deferred bds..	17⅛	Michigan 6s, 1878	98
Georgia 7s, new	88	Michigan 6s, 1883	99
N. Carolina 6s, old	38	Michigan 7s, 1878	100
N. C. F'ding act 1866.	27	N.Y. Reg'd Bounty Ln.	108
North Carolina new..	23	N.Y. Coupon B'y L'n.	107⅛
N. C. special tax	15⅛	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1872.	105
South Carolina 6s	52	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1873.	105
S. C., Jan. and July..	38⅛	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1874.	105⅛
S. C., April and Oct..	36⅛	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1875.	105⅛
Missouri 6s	95	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1877.	105⅛
Mo. H. & St. Jo. issue.	93	N.Y. 6s, canal l'n 1878.	106
Connecticut 6s	101	N. Y. 5s, canal l'n 1874	100
Ark.7s, L.R.P.B.&N.O	45⅛		

And the following for the Railroad Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83	90	Han. & Naples 1st	88
N. Y. Cen. 6s, R. E.	89	Gt. West. 2d, '93	90
N. Y. Cen. 6s, Sub	89	Quin. & Tol. 1st, '90	93
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	102	Ill. & S. Iowa 1st	92
Erie 1st, Ex	103	Gal. & Chi. Ext	100⅛
Erie 2d, 7s, '79	97	Chi., R. I. & Pac	101⅛
Erie 3d, 7s, '83	94⅛	Mor. & Es. 1st	104
Erie 4th, 7s, '80	94	Mor. & Es. 2d	97
Erie 5th, 7s, '88	89	Clev. & Tol. S. F.	100⅛
Long Dock Bonds	94	N. J. Cen. 1st new	104⅛
B., N. Y. & E. 1st, '77.	94	Pitts., F. W. & C. 1st	105
Hud. 7s, 2d, S. F., '85.	105	Pitts., F. W. & C. 2d	102
Hud. 7s, 3d, '75	102⅛	Pitts., F. W. & C. 3d	98
Harlem 1st, 7s	102¼	Clev. & P. Con. S. F.	94⅛
Alb. & Sus. 2d bds	100	Clev. & Pitts. 3d	98
Alb. & Sus. 3d bds	91	Clev. & Pitts. 4th	86
M. S. & N. I., S. F., 7s.	104	Chi. & Alt. S. F.	100
Pac. 7s, guar. by Mo..	99	Chi. & Alt. 1st	104⅛
Cen. Pac. G. Bds	102⅛	Chi. & Alt. Inc	95
Un. Pac. 1st bds	91⅞	Ohio & Miss. 1st	100
Un. Pac. L. G. 7s	84⅝	Ohio & Miss. Con	93⅛
Un. Pac. Inc. 10s	83¾	Ohio & Miss. 2d	86⅛
Alt. & T. H. 2d Pref..	87¾	Peninsula 1st Conv.	91⅛
Alt. & T. H. 2d Inc...	81¼	St. L. & I. M. 1st	95
Chi. & N. W. S. F.	101¾	Mil. & St. P. 1st, 8s	107
Chi. & N. W. Int. bs..	99	Mil. & S. P. 1st. 7 3-10.	94⅛
Chi. & N. W. C. bds..	95	Mil. & St. P. 1st	92⅛
Chi. & N. W. Ex. bds.	90	M. & S. P., Iowa Div.	87⅛
Chi. & N. W. 1st	99	Chi. & Mil. 1st	95
H. & St. Jo. L. G.	105	Col., C. & I. C. 1st	93
H. & St. Jo. Conv	92	Col., C. & I. C. 2d	74⅛
D., L. & West. 2d	96	T., P. & W., E. D.	93
Tol. & W. 1st Ext	97¾	T., P. & W., W. D.	91
T. & W. 1st. St. L. div.	90	T., P. & W., Bur. Div.	87
Tol. & W. 2d	94	B., H. & E. guar	49⅛
Tol. & W. Eq. bds	86	Ced. F. & Minn. 1st	83⅛
Tol. & W. Con. Conv.	93⅛		

And the following for the Miscellaneous Shares:

Del. & Hud. Canal	119⅛	Quick M. Co	35⅛
Penn. Coal	213	Quick. M. Co., pf	40⅛
Md. Coal	20¼	Mari. M. Co	⅛
Am. Coal	39⅛	Mari. M. Co., pf	1⅞
S. M. Coal	58	Adams Ex	97
Can. Co., Bal	92¼	Wells, Fargo Ex	75
Con. Coal, Md	38	U. S. Ex	72⅛
W. U. Tel	70⅞	Pac. Mail S. S. Co	59⅛

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, March 20, 1872.

Gold receipts	$329,801 18
Gold payments	784,164 69
Gold balance	72,739,091 44
Currency receipts	493,526 36
Currency payments	313,533 44
Currency balance	6,666,225 04
Customs	269,000 00

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—MARCH 20.

Telegraphed to Messrs. E. D. Randolph & Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, old	98	—
City 6s, new	100⅞	101
Camden & Amboy	126⅛	126⅛
Pennsylvania Central	58⅛	58⅛
Reading	113	113⅛
Lehigh Valley	58	58⅛
Catawissa Preferred	46	46⅛
Philadelphia and Erie	26⅛	27
Northern Central	38⅛	38⅛
Lehigh Navigation	41⅛	41⅛
Lehigh Gold Loan	92⅛	93⅛

Earnings of Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway Company were as follows:

Second week, 1872	$99,539
Second week, 1871	81,549
Increase in 1872	$17,990

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THE BIANCO MYSTERY.

Proceedings in the Supreme Court Yesterday—Important Letter and Telegrams.

CARL VOGT, the German, who has been under arrest for some weeks past on suspicion of having been concerned in the murder and robbery of the Chevalier DU BOIS DE BIANCO, in Brussels, was brought before Judge CARDOZO, of the Supreme Court, yesterday, on a writ of habeas corpus. The people were represented by District-Attorney SULLIVAN. A lengthy argument ensued, and the result was that VOGT was remanded to the Tombs to await the decision of Justice CARDOZO. During the proceedings Detective FARLEY submitted for the consideration of the Court the following translation of a letter written in German from VOGT to his wife, and which had been intercepted:

NEW-YORK, March 15, 1872.

MOST BELOVED WIFE: Before all I intreat you to keep cool. It will be all well, by the aid of God; but it may take some time yet. I suppose that the esteemed family of PETRY will not let it effect you. Any one may be so unfortunate. The thing I want you do is to put all the keys away from the little box, also that of your large trunk. Your jewelry box give to Mme. PETRY, also the album. The letters of your brother destroy. Let my two guns be brought into my room. In one of the pairs of new shoes is a *dis avers*, also the box with your bracelets, in fact all that had any reference to this matter. The little box give to Mme. PETRY. Destroy all letters and accounts. There is also a letter from RUBINO, GEORGE's cousin. Also all cards of banking-houses, sticking in the looking-glasses over the wardrobe. Look, also, whether there are any papers in the little porte-monnaie in your large trunk, lest there be anything in them from Brussels. They must be put out of the world. If there is not, leave it as it is. When you are questioned, don't answer anything. There were many with me at different times, but I told them to go to Mr. GROSS. I will be brought into Court today, where I will see Mr. PETRY. Have you asked for your bill? Mr. PETRY will tell you the result, if today, and also how it is going to end, which Mr. GROSS has told you already. When you write to me, address your letter always to Mr. GROSS. Use two envelopes; direct the outside one to Mr. GROSS, and the other to me. Burn up this letter immediately—it must not be otherwise. Write soon. Mr. GROSS told me that the trunk covered with zinc is here. I have not got it yet. I hope I will get it today. Have you understood me correctly? Put all the keys of the trunk on the ring, and put the others away. I greet you from my heart. Be kissed and embraced by yours to death,

CARL VOGT.

After gaining possession of this letter, FARLEY proceeded to Philadelphia and obtained a search warrant. Accompanied by Detective TAGGART, of Philadelphia, he proceeded to the Petry House, where he ascertained that Mrs. VOGT had left for New-York, having become alarmed at the non receipt of the letter from her husband. The apartments occupied by the couple were searched, and the articles described in the letter given above were found, but no evidence to connect him with the Belgian crime.

During the previous examination an accurate description of VOGT was sent by cable to Count DU VAL DE BEAULIEU, the son-in-law of the murdered Chevalier, and an answer was received as follows:

Chas. Mali, Belgian Consul, New-York:

Description of VOGT answers exactly to the description of JOSEPH STAPP, who disappeared in October, and is gravely suspected. DU VAL.

Another telegram was received announcing the fact that a person with the proofs had started on Monday last with the necessary affidavits, &c. VOGT will doubtless be detained until the arrival of the witness with the necessary papers.

Good Friday.

Good Friday will be observed as a holiday down town by a general suspension of business at the public business centres and private offices. A meeting will be held at noon, today, to decide whether the Cotton Exchange will close, and the question is likely to be decided in the affirmative. The Importers' and Grocers' Board of Trade may also close, as they did last year, and at the Stock Exchange it is probable the unceasing turmoil of the brokers will be intermitted for that one day. The Produce Exchange is likely to adjourn over for the day, although the building may be open for such of the members as desire to transact business, as was the case last year.

Criminal Cases in the United States Circuit Court.

The calendar of criminal cases was called in the United States Circuit Court, yesterday, by Judge BENEDICT, and the case of JAMES IRVING will be called again on Tuesday next, though it is scarcely probable that it will be tried then, Mr. SPENCER stating that a severe illness in Mr. IRVING's family made it almost impossible for him to appear for a week or two. The case of CHARLES CALLENDER, the National Bank Examiner, was set down peremptorily for Thursday next.

THE PACIFIC MAIL COMPANY,

Continuation of the Investigation Yesterday—The Testimony of Messrs. Stockwell, Baxter and Bellows.

The investigation in the suit of LUTHER C. CHALLIS against the Pacific Mail Company was resumed yesterday before Referee LAWRENCE. In the absence of Judge FULLERTON, the examination of ALDEN B. STOCKWELL was continued by Gen. PRYOR, of counsel for the plaintiff.

Q.—You said in your testimony, yesterday, in relation to the loan made to OSBORN and KAMMOCK, you thought that bills receivable of the Howe Sewing-machine Company were deposited with other collaterals as security; have you examined and satisfied yourself on that point? A.—I have, and I find I was mistaken.

Q.—State how. A.—I gave OSBORN and KAMMOCK $75,000 in bills receivable of the Howe Sewing-machine Company, as margin for purchases they were making for me; they were borrowing money of the Pacific Mail Company at that time, and I supposed that they used the notes as collaterals; but I understand from Mr. BELLOWS that they never deposited any such securities.

Q.—Is that transaction entirely closed out? A.—Yes; it was all done within three days; the Pacific Mail Company have never had any Sewing-machine Company paper.

Q.—You stated that WM. M. TWEED paid the interest on a mortgage loan which was in existence when you became President of the Company; why was it paid by Mr. TWEED? A.—I believe Mr. TWEED owns the property on which the mortgage was taken; he bought it of Mr. JEROME, assuming the mortgage; the books of the Company are not in my charge; Mr. BELLOWS has exclusive charge of them; the names of the stockholders change continually as the stock is sold on the street.

By Mr. NELSON, for the defense: Q.—Has the business of the Company and its earnings increased or decreased since you became President? A.—Both have increased.

Q.—Has the Pacific Mail Company any interest, direct or indirect, in any contracts for which you were to indemnify the parties against loss? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—What was the market-rate of the stock when you became President of the Company? Gen. PRYOR objected to this question; the plaintiff did not allege that the stock of the Company had decreased in value by the operations of the present Board of Directors, but that those operations were irregular, and jeopardized the interests of the Company. After some discussion, the question was allowed, and the witness said that the price of the stock was 46.

Q.—What has been the general course of the stock since then? A.—Upward; it has sold as high as 63 or 64.

This concluded the examination of Mr. STOCKWELL, and Gen. HORACE H. BAXTER took the stand, and was examined by Gen. CRAIG for the plaintiff.

Q.—Gen. BAXTER, where do you reside? A.—I live in New-York; I have been a director of the Pacific Mail Company since the election on the 15th of November last; I am one of the Executive Committee; when the new board went in I was one of the Auditing Committee, and examined the financial statement made by the old Board to the new; it was perfectly correct in every particular, I am certain. (The statement was exhibited to witness.) There were a number of Government securities on hand then; some of these have since been sold; we have about $600,000 left; we sold the securities because we had contracts for steam-boats on hand, and were liable to be called on for money, and then we thought it a good time to sell Governments, and so decided, after consultation on the subject; we got a good price for them, but I can't now remember what; we have four steamers building; three were contracted for by the old Board, and one by the new; the money coming from the sale of our Governments we have on hand now; I can't say how many call loans there are; the securities we loaned money on are those commonly dealt in on the street; we have not lost a dollar on our loans; without seeing the books, I can't say how much the reserve fund now amounts to; I have never borrowed a dollar of the company, either directly or indirectly, myself; I know about some of the loans of my own personal knowledge; I know none have been made on usurious interest, or on commission; don't know if money has been lent to any of my co-directors.

Q.—Has that By-law of the Company relating to special deposits been observed. A.—It has, in all cases; special deposits cannot be withdrawn without the signatures of the Secretary and President; I know none have been made unauthorized by the rules of the Company.

By Mr. NELSON for the defense: Q.—You said you sold Governments because it was a good time to sell; did you get a good price for those you sold? A.—We did; we have been able since then to buy them back at a lower price than we sold at.

Q.—Do the other corporations with which you are connected use their surplus assets in making call-loans? A.—They do; I understand that to be a common practice with trust companies and other corporations.

Q.—Have the loans made by the Pacific Mail Company been conducted in all respects as other corporations do theirs. (Objected to, but finally allowed.) A.—They have; this is also true of the amount of margin required by the Company on their loans.

By Gen. CRAIG, for plaintiff: Q.—Do you know of any law of this State prohibiting companies loaning money on their own stock? A.—I know there is a national law forbidding national banks to loan money on their own stock.

Q.—Do State banks do this? A.—I can't say.

Q.—Has the Pacific Mail Company done so between November last and March? A.—It has. National banks and trust companies loan money on various securities on margins; when we had surplus funds we have done the same, on margins of from ten to twenty per cent. upon the market price of the securities; I knew Mr. LOCKWOOD; I came into the Executive Committee after his death.

Q.—Since the 15th of November have the Pacific Mail Company loaned money with which to manipulate the stock of the Company? A.—When we had surplus funds we loaned money without regard to any probable effect on the stock.

By Mr. SHAFER, for the defense: Q.—Do railroad companies lend their surplus funds on call loans and take their own stock as collaterals? A.—They do; they frequently lend them up to dividend day; it has always been done; if a person comes to our office with our stock among other collaterals, we take it, with the proper margin; in my opinion, it is safer to take that than any other stock; there is less liability of fraud.

Q.—Do corporations ever discriminate in favor of their own stock? A.—The Chicago and North Western Railroad, when I was a director, did so; I know at one time all of the Company's funds, enough to pay five per cent. dividend, were loaned out on call up to dividend day.

Mr. FRANCIS W. BELLOWS then took the stand and was examined by Gen. PRYOR. He testified as follows: I am Vice-President of the Pacific Mail Company, and have been so for seven or eight years; I am the executive officer of the Company, and have charge of all funds and the business of the Company in detail; I have personal cognizance of the loans made; I know Mr. STOCKTON, the President of the new Board; we had cash assets of over $3,000,000 when they came in; we had Governments of the par value of $1,800,000; we have now about $600,000; the rest are sold; they were sold because they had steamers building, and because it was a good time to sell; they were the only reasons; the contract price of the steamers was, for the hulls, $249,000 each; the engines were over $16,000 each; the securities on which the Company loans are the ordinary securities of the street; all loans made between November last and March were call loans; we have only two time loans, and they were made by the old Board; the Company has loaned money on its own stock; it was in my discretion to do so; I preferred to take that stock, there being less danger of fraud, and no liability to be mistaken in its value, &c.; I have made a loan on Pacific Mail stock alone; the Company has lost nothing on any loan made since last November; the Pacific Mail Company has never loaned money on the security of sewing-machine stock; they loaned money on some notes of the Howe Sewing-machine Company, with other collaterals; they were brought in with those, as margin, but the price of the stock went up so that they were not needed, and never used as such: I don't know that the Pacific Company ever loaned money to Mr. STOCKTON; I have never borrowed any of it myself; nor has Mr. BILLINGS; I should have lent it if he had applied, and given the proper margin. [Laughter.]

Q.—How much money has the Company spent on that bill pending at Washington?

Mr. SHAFER objected to the question, and Gen. PRYOR said he would put it in another form.

Q.—There is a bill pending before Congress for granting a subsidy to the Pacific Mail Company. Do you know personally whether any money or funds of the Pacific Mail Company have been used to promote the passage of that bill?

Objected to again. A discussion ensued, and the question was withdrawn and reserved. Mr. NELSON said he did not want it to go out that they had anything to conceal. They did not object to the fullest inquiry as to any improper use of the funds of the Company in promoting legislation favorable to its interests.

Examination resumed by Gen. PRYOR—Q.—Has the usual manner of lending money by the Company been in any degree changed since Mr. STOCKTON became President of it? A.—No; the Company has always lent money in the way it does now.

By Mr. NELSON—Q.—Have the cash assets of the Company increased since the present Board came in? A.—Yes; both the cash assets and the business have.

By Mr. SHAFER—Q.—Now, in your judgment, from your extensive knowledge of the Company, does the present administration compare favorably with the old?

Gen. CRAIG objected to the question. It was perfectly ridiculous. Mr. SHAFER insisted on its being put. After some discussion it was read by the stenographer, and the witness replied that he did not see there had been any change in the policy of the two Boards.

The inquiry then adjourned till 10 A. M. on Saturday.

An Alleged Smuggler.

CHARLES MARXON was placed on trial before Judge BENEDICT, in the United States Circuit Court, yesterday, on a charge of smuggling into this port on the steamer *Calabria* in January last a quantity of watches concealed in a false-bottomed trunk. Customs Inspector MEYER testified that he found the watches concealed in a very ingenious manner in the trunk, and that when he seized the property MARXON remarked that he was an old smuggler and knew what Custom-house officers were, and he would give witness $200 to pass the trunk through. Counsel for the defense cross-examined MEYERS with a view of showing that MEYERS had put up a job with one SCOW, a boarding house keeper in Jersey City, to blackmail MARXON. This MEYERS denied, but admitted that he had received his information of MARXON's probable arrival with smuggled goods from SCOW. He further said that he had told MARXON that if he would present an invoice of his goods to the Custom-house he (witness) would give him all facilities for passing them through. Case still on.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—In Admiralty—Held by Blatchford, J.—164, Mott et al. vs. ship Fawn; 78, Berwin vs. steam-ship Matanzas; 155, Waugh vs. steam-boat Elm City; 24, Aumack vs. steamer Creole; 81, Kelly vs. ferry-boat Manhasset; 176, McGlinn vs. steamer Argo; 167, Hogan et al. vs. propeller Nappa; 173, Irwin vs. steam-tug W. E. Cheney; 174, Bass vs. steam-tug W. E. Cheney; 183, Ryan vs. Heckscher, Jr.; 60, Anthracite Insurance Company of Philadelphia vs. steam-tug Niagara; 62, Kemmelstiel vs. schooner Defiance; 111, Kearney vs. steam propeller Vineland; 138, Nickerson vs. Baldwin; 150, Thomas vs. steam-tug General W. McMann; 165, Babcock vs. propeller Electra; 12, Commercial Steam-boat Company vs. ferry-boat America; 166, Crandall vs. brig Wolfville.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—Part I.—Held by Barrett, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.—951, Kehan vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 217, (R. C.) Davis vs. Kelly, Sheriff, &c.; 169, Fellman vs. Brunnerthal; 155, (R. C.) Piffey et al. vs. Pond; 2011, Van Saun vs. Farley, administrator; 109½, Clancey vs. Byrne; 327, New-York Guaranty and Indemnity Company vs. Flynn et al.; 1223½, Perkins vs. Barnard; 1209, Phinelander vs. Lowenstein; 1117, North American Life Insurance Company vs. Dickson; 1143, O'Toole vs. Garvin, et al.; 1359, Anderson vs. Tunns et al.; 723 Van Briel et al. vs. Walker et al.; 253½, Fox vs. The Mayor; 10.9, Mutler et al. vs. Beltner; 1237, The Danbury National Bank vs. Moser; 1289, Bryant vs. McKinney et al.; 1389, Stilt et al. vs. Little et al.; 1447, Frank et al. vs. Fay; 2253, The East River National Bank vs. Gooe.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—Part II.—Held by Brady, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—642, Mess vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 482½, Groetsinger vs. Rosenthal; 378, Rufner, &c., vs. Kirby et al.; (R. C.) 66½, Atlantic Mail Steam-ship Company vs. Central American Transit Company; (R. C.) 36½, Gelpcke et al. vs. Quentall; 594½, Schepler vs. Preuss et al.; 464, Seaman vs. Townsend; 460, Brown vs. Horton et al.; 466, Rothschild vs. Fernberg; 470, Tradesmen's National Bank vs. Harroun; 188, Gallup et al. vs. Lederer; 24, Bliss et al. vs. Levy, impleaded; 478, Kirk vs. Gedney et al.; 342½, Lester vs. Union Manufacturing Company; 396, Alexander et al. vs. Lewis; 482, Cooper et al. vs. Waterbury.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—Held by Cardozo, J.—Calendar called at 12 M.—45, Andrews vs. Vreeland; 61, Thomas vs. Thomas; 65, Isham vs. Darrow et al.; 75, Laing vs. Reynolds; 85, Muhlenbrenck vs. Feury et al.; 88, In the matter of the application of Wm. McMahon; 102, Mahon vs. Dailey; 104, Voorhees vs. The National City Bank of New-York; 105, Cusack vs. Griswold; 125, Hatch vs. Smith; 128, Boardman vs. Gaillard, Jr.; 133, Hodges vs. Slisley; 140, People ex rel. Skellen vs. Gaver; 146, In the matter of the petition of Geo. A. Hearn; 154, Lewis vs. Freund; 163, The People, Stemmler vs. McGuire; 167, Barr vs. Arrowsmith; 173, Fisher vs. Phillips.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—Held by Barnard, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—Adjourned to Monday, March 25.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Held by Barbour, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—1067, De Long vs. O'Brien, Sheriff; 1497, Luckey vs. Gannon; 183, Waldheimer vs. Lowenstein; 1697, Hynes vs. Dessher et al.; 1165, Carroll vs. O'Brien, Sheriff; 1509, Thomal vs. Pitt; 1845, Blesson vs. Briggs; 1847, Smith vs. Smith; 619, Farris et al. vs. Peck; 1459, Sprague vs. Vanderlip; 1397, Strauss vs. Litchenstein; 783, Murphy vs. Sharpe, impleaded; 1583, Miller, administratrix, vs. Deir; 1819, Collins vs. Maillée; 1851, Jackson vs. Johnson.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part II.—Held by McCUNN, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—763, Andrews vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 540, Sayr vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 1068, Ely vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 382, Mitchell vs. Dix; 1010, Moquin vs. Dinsmore; 624, Herbert vs. Pell; 848, Talcott vs. Belding; 90, Clare vs. National City Bank; 816, Reade vs. Clarke et al.; 1046, Schwenisinshe vs. Masterson; 1218, Schearman vs. Malty; 88, Caspar vs. O'Brien, Sheriff, &c.; 868, Gorham Manufacturing Company vs. Fargo, President; 1122, *The Journal of Commerce* vs. Hallock.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Held by J. F. Daly, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—710, Peabody vs. Speyers; 906, Quinlan vs. Sixth-avenue Railroad Company; 1065½, Schott vs. Wright. By order—1829, More vs. Rand; 1015, Elliott, administratrix, vs. Broadway and Seventh-avenue Railroad Company; 1088, Ball vs. Stitt; 1268, Jacobs vs. the Merchants' Insurance Company; 1409, Rothmann vs. O'Brien, Sheriff; 1269, Fox vs. Stilwell; 1456, Schuberth vs. Heymann; 1496, Ely et al. vs. Verplanck; 1497, Newdecker vs. Newdecker; 1498, Gillispie vs. Fettretch, 1446, Martine vs. Quin, administratrix; 472, Austin vs. Goodrich.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—Part II.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.—1301, Schott, administratrix, vs. Wright; 35, Costello vs. The Mayor, &c.; 1493, Harrison vs. Gardiner, Jr.; 178, Heydecker vs. Lombard et al.; 1033, White et al. vs. The Continental National Bank; 1256, Shields vs. Laskey et al.; 1511, Cole vs. McIntire; 1512, Barker et al. vs. Sharpe; 1513, Garson vs. Frank; 1514, Burgoyne et al. vs. Demarest; 1516, Deering vs. Anderson; 1517, Hoffman vs. Link et al.; 1518, Wimpfheimer vs. The National Steam-ship Company; 1519, Stewart vs. Martin; 1520, Same vs. Same.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Held by Gross, J.—Court opens and Calendar called at 10 A. M.—8240, Fran vs. Lyding; 8970, Stratton vs. Wolf; 7126, Gallagher vs. Lutz; 8068, Goodale vs. Brodie; 8103, McLernon vs. Harricar; 8123, Goodwin vs. Eagle Manufacturing Company; 8181, Aaron vs. Leon; 8182, Hull vs. Stevenson; 8253, Woods vs. Elias; 8706, Smith vs. McKinnan; ——, Brannigan vs. King; 8024, Sixth National Bank vs. Rider; 8389, Pittsbaur vs. Loehman; 3360, Winkleman vs. Carman; 8363, Murtrough vs. Winters.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part II.—Held by Curtis, J.—Court opens and Calendar called at 10 A. M.—8129, Weston vs. Shook; 8121, Jennings vs. Keernan; 8191, Butler vs. Muller; 8160, Spandal vs. Spranz; 7331, Lehman vs. Rothschild; 8117, Waschawsky vs. Licht; 9043, Taylor vs. Johnston; 8150, White vs. Kearney; 8225, Bollman vs. Donovan; —, Gallagher vs. Oberle; 8291, Rohe vs. Moore; 8236, Nissen vs. Wabbenhurst; 9133, McGuckin vs. Foster; 8153, McDevitt vs. Cassidy; 8310, O'Rourke vs. Gilfoyle; 8259, Goldstein vs. Schloemer; 8258, Block vs. Heyman; 8747, Parmelee vs. Brennan; 8201, Gillett vs. Colwell; 8124, Mark vs. McCallum; 7365, Scanlon vs. Strauss; 8005, Isaacs vs. Oberle; 8177, Weinthal vs. Vail; 8340, Day vs. Smythe; 8562, Eastburn vs. Ehert; 8163, Cameron vs. Place; 8270, Oph vs. Bans; 8280, Schneider vs. Rosenberg.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—Part III.—Held by SHEA, J.—Court opens and Calendar called at 10 A. M.—9014; Udall vs. Shank; 9016, Johnson vs. Simpson; 9036, Fisher vs. Bissell; 9144, Feran vs. Skidmore; 9152, Golden vs. Roe; 9223, Marchant vs. Curtis; 9224, Gatchet vs. Sands; 9150, Kelly vs. Woods; 3896, Hackes vs. Aaron; 8273, Fay vs. Dagie; 8234, Wiedenmeyer vs. Fahlbusch; 9061, Ripley vs. Macomber; 9070, Lavin vs. Ryan; 9143, Benedict vs. Shattuck; 9163, Hackett vs. Parrott; 9164, Boesler vs. Montellgire County of New-York; 9231, Richardson vs. Robinson; 9229, Halbe vs. Cushing; 9227, Brod vs. Jaguarzo.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Held by Hackett, Recorder.—1, Philip Wilke, homicide; 2, Antonio Arata, manslaughter; 3, Edward Johnson, Thomas Murphy, forgery; 4, John G. Farrell, forgery; 5, John Mahony, felonious assault and battery; 6, Henry Newman, (two cases,) grand larceny; 7, Eustacius St. Valerin, Libby Doris, (five cases,) grand larceny; 8, Hibbord Wilson, Thomas Fay, grand larceny; 9, Cornelius Mahony, Thomas Ford, grand larceny.

CITY COURT OF BROOKLYN.—Nos. 230, 154½, 244, 248, 251, 12, 186, 203, 204, 255, 49, 180, 196, 225, 238, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—MARCH 20.

By Judge Cardozo.

Goodenough *vs.* Spencer; motion to open default granted; terms to be settled on two days' notice.

In the matter of William Dillon *vs.* Van Hovenberg; attachment may issue, &c.

Agate *vs.* Mendes; motion denied with $10 costs, with leave to renew.

Starkweather *vs.* Van Cott; defendant should be allowed their costs.

Clifford *vs.* Washington Iron-works; motion granted.

In the matter of the petition of Gilbert F. Rudd to vacate assessment; order to take proof granted.

Bolton et al. *vs.* Hovey; allowance granted.

Van Name et al. *vs.* Keating et al.; motion denied without costs.

Shepard et al. *vs.* Denison; motion to place cause on short calendar granted.

Davis, &c., *vs.* Barker; motion denied with leave to renew on showing merits.

Juliette Keyser *vs.* Charles Keyser; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted.

Cornelia E. Barnes *vs.* Edward L. Barnes; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted.

Francis C. Chapman *vs.* Henry Chapman; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted; custody of children awarded to plaintiff.

William A. Kobbe et al. *vs.* Jacob Jawalawski; attachment must issue unless the defendant submits to examination on a day to be specified in the order.

David Elston *vs.* Patrick Murray; motion denied, costs to abide the event.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—MARCH 20.

By Judge Robinson.

Schroeder *vs.* Murphy; motion to set aside order for new trial granted without costs. See opinion with clerk.

By Judge Van Brunt.

Michael Delmage *vs.* Christian Henjer; complaint wanted.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, March 20—11½ A. M.—Consols opened at 92⅛ for money and 92⅜ for the account. American Securities opened quiet and steady; United States 5-20 Bonds, 1862s, 92⅜; 1865s, 93⅛; 1867s, 93½; 10-40s, 89½.

4½ P. M.—Consols closed at 92⅞ for money and 93 for the account. American Securities closed firm; United States 5-20 Bonds, 1862s, 92½; 1865s, 93⅜; 1867s, 93⅞; 10-40s, 89⅝.

PARIS, March 20.—The Bourse opened heavy; French Rentes, 55f. 77c., and closed at 55f. 72c.

LIVERPOOL, March 20—11 A. M.—COTTON opened steady; Middling Uplands, 11¼d.; Middling Orleans, 11½d.@11⅝d. The sales of the day are estimated at 10,000 bales.

1½ P. M.—COTTON steady; Middling Uplands, 11¼d.; Middling Orleans, 11½d.@11⅝d.; sales estimated at 10,000 bales, including 3,000 for export and speculation. BREADSTUFFS quiet and unchanged.

4½ P. M.—COTTON closed dull; Middling Uplands, 11d.@11¼d.; Middling Orleans, 11⅜d.@11½d. The sales foot up 10,000 bales, including 3,000 for export and speculation. WHEAT—California White, 11s. 8d. PETROLEUM—Refined, 16½d.@17d.

LONDON, March 20—11½ A. M.—TALLOW advanced to 61s.

1½ P. M.—TALLOW, 62s.@63s.

4½ P. M.—SUGAR, afloat, 29s.

Evening—Common RESIN, 10s.@10s. 6d. TURPENTINE, 55s. 6d.@56s.

ANTWERP, March 20.—PETROLEUM, 45½f. for Standard White.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, March 20, 1872.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pks	50	Beef, pks	49
Brandy, (Cal.)	5	Cut-meats, pks	2,853
Broom-corn, bales	47	Grease, pks	77
Bees-wax, pks	1	Lard, pks	2,827
Cotton, bales	1,485	Stearine, pks	155
Dried Fruit, pks	47	Butter, pks	1,458
Eggs, bbls	2,500	Cheese, pks	2,454
Corn, bushels	56,700	Tallow, pks	56
Oats, bushels	19,830	Lard-oil, bbls	100
Malt, bushels	8,200	Pea-nuts, bags	303
Barley, bushels	4,000	Rice, pks	105
Grass-seed, bags	617	Starch, boxes	2,084
Beans, bbls	391	Skins, bales	36
Corn-meal, bbls	210	Tobacco, hhds	189
Corn-meal, bags	421	Tobacco, bxs. & cs	1,175
Oat-meal, bbls	100	Whisky, bbls	1,291
Hemp, bales	23	Wool, bales	158
Hides, No	9,846	Wine, (Cal.,) pks	432
Hides, bales	22	Lead, pigs	5,500
Horns, No	27,094	Oil, bbls	100
Leather, sides	16,352	Silver-ore, sacks	1,495
Spirits Turp., bbls	546	Mustard-seed, bags	587
Tar, bbls	468	Chrome-ore, sacks	3,703
Resin, bbls	3,680	Salmon, pks	860
Pork, pks	1,440		

The export clearances since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the steamer *Wyoming*, for Liverpool—50 casks Stearine, 50 bbls. Lard-oil, 300 pks. Corn, 120 pks. Starch, 15 bales Straw Hats, 2 bales Belting, 25 boxes Flavine, 184 pks. Clocks, 3,436 bales Cotton, 16 bales Furs and Skins, 178 boxes Bacon, 4 pks. Tea, 18,098 bushels Wheat, 8,037 bushels Corn, 44 cases Sewing-machines, 46 tcs. Beef, 50 bbls. Pork, 319 sacks Ore.

By the steamer *Columbia*, for Glasgow—50 bbls. Lard-oil, 524 lbs. Fustic, 1,134 boxes Bacon, 1,026 tcs. Lard, 7 hhds. Stearine, 37 tcs. Beef, 312 hhds. Tallow, 122 pks. Pork, 18,162 bushels Corn, 50 tons Oil-cake, 150 Mowing-machines, 400 bbls. Flour, 56 pks. Butter, 40 boxes Flavine.

By the ship *Mikado*, for London—1,000 bales Oil-cake, 6,700 bags Oil-cake, 250 cases Oysters, 19 cases Handles, 200 cases Clothes-pins, 11 cases Merchandise, 6,480 Staves.

By the steamer *Holsatia*, for Hamburg—139 boxes Tobacco, 20 hhds. Tobacco, 950 tcs. Lard, 1,200 bags Clover-seed, 25 bales Tobacco, 87 bales Skins, 32 cases Oil Peppermint, 86 cases Sewing-machines, 298 pks. Honey, 760 boxes Bacon, 273 bbls. Shoe-pegs, 100 hhds. Tallow, 35 tcs. Grease, 25 boxes Flavine, 50 bbls. Potash, 20 cases Essential Oil, 450 boxes Meat, 10 boxes Oysters, 8,000 bushels Corn, 50 Car-wheels, 25 bbls. Beef, 60 bags Quercitron Bark, 8 pks. Machinery, 34 Reaping Machines, 50 bags Minerals, 26 bags Rubber, 169 bags Coffee, 900 sides Leather, 40 bbls. Lard-oil, 10 boxes Extract, 28 kegs Caviar, 119 pks. Packing, 25 cases Lobsters, 20 cases Can Goods, 29 cases Handles, 16 cases Sarsaparilla, 34 Poles.

By the bark *Orient*, for Elsinore and orders—2,549 bbls. Refined Petroleum.

By the bark *Anna Kreel*, for Ancona—13,181 cases Refined Petroleum.

By the bark *Julia Ann*, for Caibarien—2,973 Shooks and Heads.

By the brig *Musca*, for Ponce—10,100 lbs. Butter, 2,940 lbs. Tallow, 5 bbls. Beef, 805 cases Kerosene, 4 cases Chairs, 8 pks. Axes, 3 pks. Hardware, 1 case Guns, 104 lbs. Cheese, 8,140 lbs. Hams, 49 pks. Drugs, 4 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, 1 bbl. Varnish, 10 bbls. Plaster, 10 hhds. Coal, 1,500 Shooks and Heads, 450 bbls. Hoops.

By the bark *Diana*, for Capetown—700 cases Refined Petroleum, 19 tcs. Ham, 30 bbls. Pork, 540 cases Can Goods, 50 bbls. Bread, 292 bbls. Resin, 600 boxes Soap, 200 cases Oysters, 20 cases Spirits Turpentine, 8 cases Benzole, 5 hhds. Tobacco, 90 cases Tobacco, 340 pks. Agricultural Implements, 408 cases Chairs, 41 pks. Hatchets, 30 pks. Axes, 10 pks. Picks, 61 pks. Lamps, 70 bales Hops, 27 bbls. Beef, 35 cases Drugs; 1,200 Staves.

And from Philadelphia for Stockholm, by the bark *Hertha*, 134,834 gallons Refined Petroleum....By the ship *Abyssinia*, for Belfast, 46,603 15-56 bushels Corn.

COFFEE—A moderate call has been noted for Rio at about previous quotations; 3,800 bags, by the *Frances Jane*, were sold at Baltimore on private terms. Other kinds quiet within our previous range.

COTTON—There has been a moderate movement reported since our last for early delivery, but at a reduction of ⅛c. ℔ lb.; sales, 2,722 bales, including 1,486 bales to shippers, 1,217 bales to spinners, and 19 bales to speculators. For forward delivery, a fair demand has been noted, but prices have been quoted off 1-16c. ℔ lb.; sales, 17,000 bales, (9,500 bales last evening, and 7,500 bales today,) basis of Low Middling, including, last evening, for March, 400 bales at 22 1-16c.; April, 300 bales at 22⅛c., 1,900 bales at 22 1-16c., 100 bales at 22c., 300 bales at 22 1-16c., 200 bales at 22⅛c., 400 bales at 22c., 800 bales at 22 1-16c., 200 bales at 22⅛c.; May, 1,700 bales at 22¼c., 700 bales at 22⅜c., 300 bales at 22 11-16c., 100 bales at 22¾c.; June, 1,000 bales at 23⅛c., 100 bales at 23c., 500 bales at 23 1-16c., 200 bales at 23c.; July, 200 bales at 23⅛c. And today, for March, 300 bales at 22c., 50 bales at 22 1-16c., 200 bales at 21⅞c., 400 bales at 22c.; April, 400 bales at 22 1-16c., 1,000 bales at 22c., 300 bales at 22 1-16c., 250 bales at 22c., 300 bales at 22 1-16c., 500 bales at 22⅛c., 1,000 bales at 22 1-16c.; May, 700 bales at 22 11-16c., 300 bales at 22⅝c.; 200 bales at 22 11-16c., 100 bales at 22¾c., notice after 5th May; 700 bales at 22 11-16c., 100 bales at 22⅝c., 200 bales at 22 11-16c.; June, 400 bales at 23⅛c., 100 bales at 23 1-16c. The average quotations of yesterday's forward deliveries, as officially reported upon the bulletin, were as follows: March, 22.05c.; April, 22.20c.; May, 22.80c.; June, 23.17c.; July, 23.2⅛c.; August, 23c.; September, 21 3-16c. The receipts at this port today were 1,485 bales, including 58 bales from Newbern, 107 bales from Savannah, 182 bales from Charleston, 456 bales from Norfolk, 19 bales from Georgetown, S. C., 663 bales per rail. The reported receipts at the shipping ports today were 4,891 bales, and thus far this week 24,813 bales, against 37,303 bales same time the preceding week. The receipts at all the shipping ports since Sept. 1 have been 2,361,263 bales, against 3,202,263 bales same time in 1870–71. The following official quotations are based on Cotton running in quality not more than half a grade above or below the grade quoted:

Closing Prices of Cotton in New-York Today.

	Uplands.	Alabama.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	19⅝	19¾	20	20⅛
Good Ordinary	21⅛	21¼	21½	21⅝
Low Middling	21⅞	22	22¼	22⅜
Middling	22⅝	22¾	22⅞	23⅛
Good Middling	23⅛	23⅜	23⅝	23⅞

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour shows more steadiness as to values, particularly for the better grades, which have been in fair request, and offered with less freedom. Low grades have not been in much demand, yet have been quoted rather stronger. Sales have been reported since our last of 9,750 bbls., all told, including inferior to choice Superfine State and Western at $5 90@$6 30; inferior to good Extra State, $6 45@$6 75; good to fancy at $6 75@$7 35; poor to very good shipping Extra Western at $6 35@$6 65; poor to good shipping brands round-hoop Extra Ohio at $6 80@$7 05, ℔ bbl.

Southern Flour has been in moderate request at firm rates. Sales have been reported since our last of 890 bbls. at $6 80@$8 30 for ordinary to very good, and $8 30@$10 75 for good to very choice Extra, ℔ bbl. Canada Flour has been in light demand and nominal at $8 50@$8 75 for Extra. Rye Flour continues in moderate request, within the range of from $4 10@$5 10 ℔ bbl.: sales, 300 bbls. Corn-meal continues in moderate demand at $3 50@$3 85 for White and Yellow Western; $3 50@$3 60 for Jersey, and $4@$4 10 for Brandywine; sales, 370 bbls.

GRAIN—Wheat has been quoted 2c.@3c. a bushel dearer, on a limited offering of desirable samples, but has been lightly dealt in, the advanced claims of holders checking business. Sales have been reported, since our last, of only 11,000 bushels at $1 68@$1 70 for Red Pennsylvania and Western, and $1 50 for No. 2 Chicago Spring, in store, with $1 56 reported bid for prime No. 1 Milwaukee Spring, in store....Corn has been in more confident demand, in good part for export, at a further advance of fully a cent a bushel, closing strong and buoyant. The main business has been in New Mixed Western, partly for next week's delivery. Sales have been reported since our last of 87,000 bushels at 68½c.@70c. for New Mixed in lots, chiefly at 70c. for prime samples, delivered; 68½c. for do., in store; 70c.@70½c. for Yellow and White Western, and 70c.@70½c. for Yellow Southern, ℔ bushel....Rye has been quiet at essentially unchanged prices; Western, in store, quoted at 88c. bid, and 90c. asked, for prime.... Barley has been in quite moderate request within our previous range; sales, 16,500 bushels at 80c. for choice Two-rowed State; 85c. for Western; $1 05@$1 12 for Canada, in lots....Barley-malt has been dull and nominal....Oats have been held with a fair show of confidence, on a very moderate offering of prime samples, but have been without activity. Sales have been reported since our last of 30,000 bushels at 54c.@55½c. for Mixed Western, from track and afloat; 53c.@53½c. for Mixed Western, in store, and 56c.@58½c. for White Western and Ohio, from track, store and delivered, the latter for very choice.

HOPS—Have been in rather better request and held with much confidence; offerings light. We quote: Crop of 1871 at 25c.@70c., the latter an extreme rate for extra fine; crop of 1870 at 10c.@37c.; older growth at 8c.@25c.; foreign at 50c.@75c.

HIDES—Sales of 2,600 Mexican Kips and 2,000 Dry and Dry-salted New-Orleans were reported on private terms; market firm; desirable lots scarce.

LATHS, LIME AND LUMBER—Have been quoted firm on a moderate trade. Prices as before.

MOLASSES—A moderate call has been noted for desirable lots of both foreign and domestic at about steady rates: sales, 475 hhds. new crop Cienfuegos at 36½c., and 220 bbls. New-Orleans at 60c.@69c. ℔ gallon.

NAVAL STORES—Resin has been offered quite freely at much lower and irregular prices, leading to more extensive dealings, chiefly in Strained, which has been quoted down to $3 50@$3 75 for common to good; sales have been reported of some 8,000 to 10,000 bbls. within the range; also, 200 bbls. at $4 ℔ 280 lbs. ....Tar has been slow of sale at former figures....Spirits Turpentine has been in better supply and less request at lower prices, with sales reported of 170 bbls., in lots, at 67½c.@68½c., closing at 67½c.@68c.; also, 100 bbls., free on board at Wilmington, for Liverpool, at 70c.

OILS—The general market has been quiet, but values show firmness. Linseed in casks now quoted at 88c. ℔ gallon.

PETROLEUM—Holders have shown rather more confidence in their views as to prices, and have been offering stocks with more reserve, but the demand from all sources has been on a restricted scale, and the reported dealings have been limited....Refined has been quoted in some request here, and quoted at 22c.@22¼c. for early delivery, and 22½c. for March and to April 15, with sales reported of 2,500 bbls. at about quoted figures. At Philadelphia the current quotations for prompt delivery were 21c.@21¼c., with a slow movement reported....Refined, in cases, has been in some demand at 27¼c.@28c. here. Sales were rumored of about 14,000 cases, on private terms.... Crude has been quiet at 12¾c. ℔ gallon....Shipping Crude at 16¾c.@17c....Naphtha dull within a range of from 10¼c.@11⅛c....From the Creek the advices are of a slack trade, with Upper and Lower Road deliveries quoted at $3 60 ℔ bbl.

PROVISIONS—Pork shows less activity and less firmness, influenced, in part, by the less favorable Western reports. The demand for early delivery has been light, and mostly for job lots. Sales have been reported of 300 bbls., at $12 90@$13 15 for new Mess and $11 50 for extra Prime, ℔ bbl. For forward delivery, sales have been reported of 3,000 bbls. new Western Mess, including 250 bbls., seller March, at $13; 500 bbls., seller April, at $13; 1,750 bbls., seller May, at $13 05@$13 10; and 500 bbls., seller June, at $13 12½....Dressed Hogs have been in limited demand at 6c.@6½c. for City, and 5½c.@5¾c. for Western, ℔ lb....Cut-meats have been more active, at 8¼c.@9¼c. for Dry-salted and Sweet-pickled Hams, and 5c.@5¼c. for Shoulders, ℔ lb. The reported sales since our last include 850 pks. Hams, at 8¼c.@9c., chiefly at 8½c.@8¾c.; 120 pks. Shoulders, at 5c.@5¼c.; 30,000 lbs. Bellies, in bulk, part at 7½c. Also, 200 pks. Long-cut Hams, at Milwaukee, at 7½c.....Bacon has been in moderate request at essentially unchanged quotations, with sales reported of 500 boxes Long and Short Clear at 7¼c.@7⅜c.; 550 boxes do. and do. at an average of 7⅜c.; 200 boxes Long Clear at 7c., and 50 boxes heavy Cumberland at 6c. ℔ lb.....Lard has been less confidently dealt in and has been quoted a shade cheaper toward the close, on more liberal offerings. Sales have been reported of 1,020 tcs. and bbls., for early delivery, at 8⅞c.@9⅛c. for No. 1 to choice Steam and Kettle-rendered, chiefly at 9⅛c. for prime Western Steam; 9⅛c. for choice do. and Kettle-rendered; 9c. for prime City; 8⅞c.@8¾c. for No. 1, and 9⅜c. for Refined. For forward delivery, sales have been reported of 3,500 tcs. prime Western Steam, including 250 tcs., seller April, at 9⅛c.; 200 tcs., seller May, at 9 7-16c. down to 9⅜c., closing at 9⅜c.; and 1,250 tcs., seller June, at 9⅝c.@9½c., closing weak at about 9⅜c.....Beef continues in moderate jobbing demand at from $7 50@$10 for Mess, and $10@$12 50 for extra Mess; sales 340 bbls. Tierce Beef has been slow of sale from $12@$18 for new prime Mess, and $15@$22 for India Mess, and $23@$24 for City Extra do. ℔ tierce. Beef Hams have been moderately inquired for at $22@$26 as the extremes; sales 125 bbls.

RICE—Has been firm on lighter offerings, but has been quiet today. Yesterday's report—crowded out this morning—was as follows: "Rice has been in good demand and buoyant in price. Sales, 260 casks Carolina at $8 50@$9 12½, chiefly at $8 75@$9 12½; 350 bags Rangoon at $6 87½@$7 12½; 500 bags do., in bond, at $3 25, gold; and 150 bags Patna at $7 37½@$7 62½, ℔ 100 lbs."

SALT—Liverpool has been in fair demand and firm. Bulk in rather better request at uniform prices. We quote: Turk's Island, 38c.@40c.; Liverpool Ground, $1 40@$1 50; Liverpool Fine at $2 40@$3 25 ℔ sack, from store; Syracuse at $1 25; Burlaps at $1 25; Factory Filled at $2 15@$2 25; Bulk at 35c.@38c.; Coarse at 45c.

SALTPETRE—Continues very quiet at 10c.@10½c., gold, ℔ lb.

SEEDS—Clover has been steady and in moderate request, with a lighter offering of desirable samples reported; sales, 600 bags at 9¾c. for strictly prime Indiana, and 8¾c. for good Ohio. In other Grass-seeds, business has been dull at unaltered prices. Calcutta Linseed has been firm, but quiet, at the advance last quoted. We quote: Timothy at $3@$3 50; Flax, $2 10@$2 20; Calcutta Linseed at $2 57½, gold, ℔ bushel.

SKINS.—Have been moderately sought after, with values quoted steady, including Honduras Deer, 52½c.@55c.; Guatemala, 60c.@62c; Chagres, 57½@60c.; Campeachy, 50c.@52c.; Sisal, 50c.@52c.; San Juan, 52c @54c.; Vera Cruz, 50c.@52c.; Porto Cabello, 48c; Angostura, 38c.@40c.; Para, 50c.; Southern and Texas, 35c.@50c., currency, ℔ lb. Tampico Goat, 52c.@52½c.; Matamoras, 52c.@52½c.; Vera Cruz, 50c.@52½c., gold; Buenos Ayres, 50c.@52c.; Payta, 48c.; Curacoa, 52c.@54c.; Bogota, 45c.@47½c.; Cape, 35c.@38c.; Madras, each, 52c.@54c; Patna, 46c.@48c.; East India Tanned Goat, 95c.@$1; East India Tanned Sheep, 72c.@75c., currency, ℔ lb.

SOAP—Has been in fair demand and held with firmness. We quote: Castile at 12¾c.; Colgate's Pale, 7¾c.; Family, 8¼c., and No. 1, 6¾c. ℔ lb.

SPICES—Have been in better request at generally strong and buoyant prices, Cloves having been in particular favor with buyers, influenced by the more favorable foreign advices. We quote: No. 1 Nutmegs at 95c.@98c.; Mace, $1 22½@$1 25; Cassia, 28c.@30c.; White Pepper, 37½c.@38c.; East India Pepper at 17c.@18½c.; Ginger, 10c @11c.; Pimento at 10¼c.@10½c.; Cloves, 15½c.@16c., gold, ℔ lb.

SUGARS—Raw have been quoted firm though not remarkably active. The chief call has been for desirable lots of refining stock. Sales have been reported since our last of 713 hhds. and 1,725 boxes, including 386 hhds, scant good to good refining Cuba at 9c.@9⅛c.; 102 hhds. Centrifugal at 9¾c.; 125 hhds. Martinique at 8c.@8⅛c.; 100 hhds. Scotch at 10⅛c.; 1,250 boxes Clayed and Centrifugal at 8⅞c.@9⅝c., and 475 boxes Centrifugal at 9⅞c. ℔ lb. Refined firm and wanted. Quotations as before.

TALLOW, &C.—The demand for Tallow has been moderate at about former quotations, with sales reported of 122,000 lbs. at 8¾c.@9¼c. for Fair to Prime. Of Stearine, 83 pks. sold for early delivery at 9½c.@9¾c., and 500 tcs. Prime, seller April, at 9⅝c. Of Grease, 140 pks. were sold at 7⅛c.@8⅛c. ℔ lb.

WHISKY—Has been quoted lower, on a moderate demand; sales, 235 bbls., in lots, at 86½c.@87c., closing at 87c. ℔ gallon.

FREIGHTS—In the way of berth Freights, business has been quite dull, with rates quoted essentially unaltered, on a light supply of room. The main call has been for accommodation for Provisions and Cotton, with some inquiry for Grain room. The chartering movement shows rather more animation in the outward business in Petroleum, with a steady market as to rates. Grain vessels were in very slack request. Vessels for the Naval Store trade and for general cargo were moderately sought after. The available supply of tonnage was limited. Vessels for the Cotton business at the South were in somewhat better demand at steadier figures....For Liverpool, the reported engagements since our last include, by sail, 100 tcs. Lard and 20 tons Mahogany, at 22s. 6d. ℔ ton, and 2,000 bbls. Resin at 2s. 6d. ℔ 280 lbs., and by steam, 140 bales Cotton at ¼d. ℔ lb.; 50 tcs. Lard, 350 boxes Bacon and 20 tons Clover-seed at 25s. ℔ ton, and 50 bbls. Pork and 50 tcs. Beef, on private terms; also, three ships, reported with full cargoes of Cotton, from New-Orleans, at ⅜d. ℔ lb.... For London, by sail, about 200 bbls. Pork at 3s. 3d. ℔ bbl.; 150 tcs. Beef at 4s. 6d. ℔ tierce, and 300 bbls. Resin at 2s. 6d. ℔ 280 lbs.; also, a British bark, 495 tons, with general cargo, on private terms, and another, 549 tons, placed on the berth, for general cargo; and a ship reported a full cargo of Oil-cake, from New-Orleans, at 35s. ℔ ton....For Glasgow, by steam, (through freight,) 600 bbls. Flour at 2s. 9d. ℔ bbl., 2,000 tcs. Lard and 1,200 boxes Bacon at 27s. 6d. and 30s. ℔ ton....For Cork and orders, United Kingdom and Continent, a bark, with Cotton, from New-Orleans, on private terms; also, rumored, a ship, with Timber, from Pensacola, without reliable particulars....For Antwerp, 500 boxes Bacon on private terms....For Bremen, by sail, 352 cases Seed-leaf Tobacco at 15s., 60 tons Cedar-wood at 18s. 9d., and 22 tcs. Grease at 20s. ℔ ton....For Hamburg, by steam, 8,000 bushels Corn, 25 pks. Beef, 950 tcs. Lard, and 100 hhds. Tallow, on private terms; 1,200 bags Clover-seed at 30s. ℔ ton, 170 bags Coffee, 275 bbls. Shoe-pegs, and 50 bbls. Ashes on private terms; 298 tcs. Honey, at 2¾c. ℔ gallon: 20 hhds., 25 bales and 139 cases Tobacco on private terms....For Elsinore and orders, a German brig, 216 tons, with 1,500 bbls. Refined Petroleum, at 5s.; a Danish brig, 169 tons, with about 1,000 bbls. do., at 5s. 6d. ℔ bbl., and three ships, reported with full cargoes of Cotton, from New-Orleans, on the basis of ⅝d. ℔ lb., to Russian ports.. For Christiansund and orders, a Norwegian bark, 381 tons, with about 2,500 bbls. Refined Petroleum at 5s. ℔ bbl....For Gibraltar and orders, Mediterranean, an American bark, 451 tons, with about 1,500 bbls. and 8,000 cases Refined Petroleum to an Italian port, (exclusive of the east and west coast of Italy,) at 5s. 3d., and 27½c., gold, respectively; an Italian brig, with 5,800 cases Petroleum at 30c. to the Mediterranean and 35c. to the Adriatic; and one or two other small vessels, reported with case Oil, without definite particulars, but supposed at about quoted rates....For the West Indies, a British brig, 299 tons, reported with general cargo, from Philadelphia, on private terms....For Rio Janeiro, a German bark, 242 tons, (now here) with about 2,500 bbls. Flour, from Richmond, at $1 ℔ bbl. and 5 ℔ cent. primage....For Valparaiso, a British ship, 765 tons, reported with Lumber, from San Francisco, on private terms....For Peru, a ship, with Lumber, from Burrard Inlet, at $23, gold, privilege of three ports.... For Newcastle, N. S. W., an American ship, 1,239 tons, in ballast, from San Francisco, and back, with Coal, at about $9....The British brig, 268 tons, reported in our last, with general cargo, hence for Pernambuco, gets $1 17½, gold, ℔ bbl., privilege of Bahia....For Petropaulovski, an American brig, 123 tons, with general cargo, from San Francisco, on private terms.

NEW-YORK CATTLE MARKET.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, March 20, 1872.

Trade in live stock was unusually small on this forenoon. Beeves were not quoted; Milch Cows were very slow, from $40@$65 ℔ head; live Veals not quoted; Sheep firm, from 8¾c.@10½c. ℔ lb. The Hog trade dull, and entirely in the hands of slaughterers; quotations in live Hogs nominal at 5c. ℔ lb.; City Dressed, 6c.@6½c. ℔ lb.; Western Dressed from 5½c.@5¾c. ℔ lb.

SALES.

At the Forty-eighth-street Sheep Market, HUME & ELLIOTT sold 104 Sheep, weight 10,570 lbs., at 10½c. ℔ lb.; 60 Sheep, weight 6,620 lbs., at 10¼c. ℔ lb.; 157 Sheep, weight 16,500 lbs., at 9¾c. ℔ lb.; 390 Sheep, weight 35,210 lbs., at 9c. ℔ lb.; 120 Sheep, weight 10,560 lbs., at 8¾c. ℔ lb. T. MCCABE sold 15 Cows, from $40@$65 ℔ head.

At the Fortieth-street Hog Yards, T. LEACH sold 106 Sheep, average weight 105 lbs. ℔ head, at 9¾c. ℔ lb.; 212 Sheep, average weight 108 lbs. ℔ head, at 9½c. ℔ lb. JUDD & BUCKINGHAM sold for week ending March 20, 1872, 1,860 Sheep, average $7 10 ℔ head; range of prices for common Sheep, 7c.@8c. ℔ lb.; for good Sheep, from 9c.@10c. ℔ lb.

RECEIPTS.

Gross arrivals at Weehawken Yards for the week ending March 18; 1872, 919 head of horned Cattle, 3,022 Sheep, 31 Cows, 46 Veals, 8,514 Hogs, 68 Horses; all except the horned Cattle on transit to New-York City.

Gross arrivals at Fortieth-street Hog Yards for the week ending March 20: 1872, 13,473 Hogs, 5,720 Sheep, with 37 cars of Hogs due.

Fresh arrivals this day at Forty-eighth-street Sheep Yards, 32 Veals, with one car of horned Cattle due.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 20.—WHEAT steady; No. 2 Amber State, $1 63@$1 65; No. 1 Amber State, $1 68@$1 71; No. 2 White, $1 70@$1 73; No. 1 White, $1 75@$1 76; Diehl, $1 80; Fancy Kalamazoo, $1 90; sales, 7,000 bushels No. 2 Red Winter Toledo on private terms. RYE steady: sales, 600 bushels State at 86c. BARLEY steady; sales, 10 cars Canada on private terms, and 6 cars No. 2 Canada at $1; quotations are, No. 2 two-rowed State, 70c.; No. 2 six-rowed do. at 90c.; No. 3 Chenango, nominally, 70c.@75c.; No. 2 at 80c.@85c.; No. 2 Canada, $1 03@$1 05; No. 1 Canada, $1 10@$1 12; Bay Quinte, $1 13@$1 15. CORN dull; No. 2 Western Mixed, 70c.; No. 1 do. and High Mixed, 71c.; round Yellow, in small lots, 80c. BARLEY-MALT steady; City-made from two-rowed State Barley, $1@$1 05; Country-made from six-rowed State Barley, $1 10@$1 12. OATS dull; sales, 2 cars No. 1 State at 53½c.@54c.

CHICAGO, March 20.—FLOUR quiet; Spring Double Extra, $6 25@$6 50. WHEAT opened active and closed dull; No. 1 Spring, $1 21¼@$1 21½. CORN quiet; No. 2 Mixed, 37c. OATS strong; No. 2 nominally 30c. RYE—No. 2 stronger and higher at 71c.@74c. BARLEY stronger; No. 2 Spring nominally 50c. PROVISIONS weak. PORK, $11 10 bid, cash; $11 40, seller April. LARD, 8⅜c. Bulk MEATS firmer: Shoulders, 4c.; Clear Rib Sides, 5¾c.@5⅞c.; Clear Sides, 6⅛c. Dressed HOGS—None offering. Live HOGS active and unchanged. HIGHWINES quiet at 84c. RECEIPTS—5,000 bbls. Flour, 2,000 bushels Wheat, 14,000 bushels Corn, 15,000 bushels Oats, 5,000 bushels Barley, 7,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—3,000 bbls. Flour, 1,000 bushels Wheat, 9,000 bushels Corn, 10,000 bushels Oats, 9,000 bushels Barley, 5,000 Hogs.

OSWEGO, N. Y., March 20.—FLOUR steady and unchanged; sales, 900 bbls. at $7 75 for No. 1 Spring; $8 25 for Amber Winter; $8 75 for White Winter; $9 25 for Double Extra. WHEAT dull and unchanged; No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 58; Red Winter, $1 67; Choice White Canada, $1 85. CORN dull; sales of car lots at 71c.@72c. BARLEY held $1 03 for Bay Quinte; $1 for Prime U. - ake. RYE nominally 85c. for Western. CORN-MEAL, $1 60 for Bolted, $1 50 for Unbolted, ℔ cwt. MILLFEED unchanged; Shorts, $25; Shipstuffs, $26@$27; Middlings, $28@$30 ℔ ton. HIGHWINES, 85c.@86c. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour to Boston, 69c.; to New-York, 59c.; to Albany, 49c.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 20.—FLOUR steady; Family, $7 25@$7 50. WHEAT firm and scarce, and higher at $1 62@$1 65. CORN quiet and unchanged at 44c.@45c. RYE steady at 88c.@92c. BARLEY dull and unchanged at 60c.@75c. BUTTER firm; Prime to Choice, 25c.@30c. PORK dull and unchanged; $12 asked. LARD steady at 8⅜c.@8¾c. Bulk MEATS—Demand light; holders firm; Shoulders, 4⅛c. asked; Sides, 6⅛c.@7⅛c. Live-HOGS steady; receipts, 1,300 head. WHISKY dull and lower at 85c.

MILWAUKEE, March 20.—FLOUR quiet and unchanged. WHEAT steady; No. 1, $1 28; No. 2, $1 23¼. OATS in fair demand and firm; No. 2, 31½c. CORN in fair demand and advanced; No. 2 Mixed, 38⅛c. RYE in fair demand and higher; No. 1, 69c. BARLEY steady; No. 2 Fall, 59c. PORK quiet and unchanged at $11 75@$12. RECEIPTS—2,000 bbls. Flour, 4,000 bushels Wheat. SHIPMENTS—2,000 bbls. Flour.

NEW-ORLEANS, March 20.—COTTON quiet and weak; Middling, 22⅛c.; net receipts, 1,707 bales; gross, 1,992 bales; exports to Great Britain, 2,880 bales; to Barcelona, 1,099 bales; to Hamburg, 285 bales; to Havre, 216 bales; sales, 1,900 bales; stock, 178,360 bales.

SAVANNAH, March 20.—COTTON quiet but firm; Middling, 21⅛c.@21¼c.; net receipts, 590 bales; exports to Great Britain, 2,600 bales; coastwise, 199 bales; sales, 500 bales; stock, 51,335 bales.

CHARLESTON, March 20.—COTTON quiet; Middling, 22c.; net receipts, 397 bales; exports, coastwise 197 bales; sales, 100 bales; stock, 27,429 bales.

MOBILE, March 20.—COTTON dull and easier; Middling, 21⅛c.; net receipts, 229 bales; gross, 232 bales; sales, 600 bales; stock, 42,013 bales.

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GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal.—Messenger.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JAMES B. SMITH and DANIEL L. THOMPSON, bankrupts.—Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in said Court by James B. Smith and Daniel L. Thompson in said district, duly declared bankrupts under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for discharge and certificate thereof from all their debts and other claims, provable under said act, and that the 28th day of March, 1872, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of James J. Dwight, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at No. 7 Beekman-street, (corner Nassau-street,) Rooms Nos. 3 and 4, in the City of New-York is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, March 5, 1872.
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BANKRUPTCY SALE OF THE GRAND UNION HOTEL PROPERTY AT SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.—United States District Court, Southern District of New-York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of CHARLES LELAND and WARREN LELAND, individually and as partners, composing the firm of LELAND BROTHERS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as assignees in bankruptcy of Charles Leland and Warren Leland, and of the firm of Leland Brothers, will, pursuant to the directions of an order made by Hon. Samuel Blatchford, District Judge, at a term of the District Court of the United States of America for the Southern District of New-York, held at the City of New-York on the 10th day of February, 1872, in the matter of the bankruptcy above mentioned, sell at public auction, by E. H. LUDLOW, auctioneer, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on the tenth (10th) day of April, 1872, at 12 M., as one parcel, to the highest bidder, all the real estate particularly described in said order, as follows, viz.:

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The second is that all other certain lot or parcel of land on the east side of Hamilton-street, in the village of Saratoga Springs, and known as the Barn lot, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east line of Hamilton-street, at the north-west corner of the Clarendon Hotel grounds, and running from thence northerly along the east line of Hamilton-street one hundred and twenty-six feet to the south side of a lot owned by Norman Bedortha; thence easterly along the south line of Bedortha's lot one hundred and thirty feet; thence southerly, on a line parallel with Hamilton-street, one hundred and thirty-six feet to the north line of the Clarendon Hotel lot; thence westerly along the north line of the last mentioned lot, one hundred and thirty feet to the place of beginning.

The third lot is all that other piece or parcel of land situate in said village, and known as the Market lot, on the corner of Congress and Hamilton streets, bounded and described as follows: Beginning in the south line of Congress-street, at its intersection with Hamilton-street, and running from thence southerly along the east line of Hamilton-street one hundred and thirty-eight feet, to a lot owned or occupied by John Dinnen; thence easterly along the north line of Dinnen's lot eighty-five feet to an alley; thence northerly along the west line of the alley forty-two feet to the lot owned by Daniel O'Gorman; thence westerly along O'Gorman's south line thirty-three feet; thence northerly along O'Gorman's west line ninety-two feet to Congress-street; thence westerly along the south side of Congress-street to the place of beginning.

The fourth lot is all that certain other lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in said village, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east line of Union-street, at its intersection with the north line of West Circular-street, and running from thence northerly along the east line of Union-street two hundred and forty-nine feet to Leland-street; thence easterly along the south line of Leland-street three hundred and fifty-eight feet to the west line of South Federal or Cold Spring-street; thence southerly along the west line of the last-mentioned street two hundred and nine feet and six inches to the north line of West Circular-street; thence westerly along the north line of the last-mentioned street two hundred and eighty-six feet to the place of beginning.

The fifth piece of land is all that certain other piece or parcel of land situate in said village, and known as the Cold Spring lot, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the west line of South Federal or Cold Spring-street, at the south-east corner of a lot of land owned by Simon Flanigan, and running from thence southerly along the west line of South Federal or Cold Spring-street thirty-six feet to the north-east corner of another lot of land owned by Simon Flanigan; thence westerly along the north line of the said Flanigan's land twenty-three feet to the east line of lands belonging to the heirs (or some of them) of Esek Cowen; thence northerly along the east line of the Cowen land sixty-six feet to the south line of the first-mentioned lot owned by Simon Flanigan; thence easterly along the south line of said Flanigan's lot twenty-three feet to the place of beginning, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

There will also be sold pursuant to the order aforesaid, at the same time and place, and together with and as a part of the sale of the said real estate above-mentioned, all the personal property, household and hotel furniture, goods, chattels, apparatus, fixtures, machinery and appurtenances, which have been used as any part of the equipment and furniture of the said Grand Union Hotel, including the wines, liquors and stores now upon said premises, coaches, horses, harness, and stable furniture and fixtures; so that the said several parcels of real estate, with the several buildings thereon, and the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all the equipments thereof, and all the personal property thereon or thereto belonging, and used in connection therewith, shall be sold in and as one parcel to the highest bidder.

A detailed statement of the incumbrances on said several parcels of real estate, subject to which the same will be sold, and a diagram showing the dimensions and situation of said premises, and of the buildings thereon, and also a detailed inventory of said personal property, &c., may be obtained at the office of BANGS & NORTH, No. 137 Broadway, New-York.

The said real estate will be sold subject to mortgages thereon, amounting in all to about the principal sum of $156,000, and to the interest accrued and unpaid thereon up to the time of the delivery of the assignees' deed for said property upon the sale, the payment of which mortgages and interest the purchaser shall assume as part of the purchase money. The assignee has acquired, by conveyance from the bankrupts and their wives, a complete and absolute title to the property, and under the order of the Court the said real estate and personal property will be sold, free and clear of all other liens or incumbrances whatever, except the mortgages above-mentioned, and will be conveyed by the usual assignees' deed, as provided by said order.

The terms of sale will be ten per cent. of the amount bid in cash on the day of sale, and the balance in cash upon delivery of the deed within thirty days thereafter.—Dated New-York, March 14, 1872.
JOHN H. PLATT, Assignee,
No. 40 Wall-st., New-York City.
BANGS & NORTH, Attorneys for Assignee,
No. 137 Broadway, New-York.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—In the matter of ABRAHAM B CLARK, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Notice is hereby given that the third general meeting of the separate creditors of the said bankrupt will be held at the office of Mr. Isaiah T. Williams, No. 4 Warren-street, in the City of New-York, on MONDAY, the 1st day of April, 1872, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purposes mentioned in the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth sections of the act of Congress, approved March 2, 1867, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States;" that the assignee's account of his receipts and payments up to the 11th day of March, 1872, together with a schedule of outstanding claims against the separate estate of the said bankrupt, was filed with said Register at his office aforesaid on the 12th day of March, 1872, and an amended schedule of outstanding claims was filed with said Register on March 19, 1872, and that at said meeting the assignee will apply to have his said account audited and passed, and for an order for the payment of such of the outstanding claims as shall not be objected to, and will move the creditors to vote the payment of a dividend (in addition to the ten per cent. dividend heretofore declared) of fifty-five per cent. upon the debts proved against such separate estate, which amount at this date to $50,223 20, and in the absence of creditors competent to vote a dividend, the assignee will declare a dividend out of the funds in his hands on the debts proved and allowed.—Dated March 19, 1872.
JOHN S. BEECHER, Assignee.
C. W. BANGS, Solicitor for Assignee, No. 137 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of RUFUS WATERHOUSE, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Before John Fitch, Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Rufus Waterhouse, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt, upon his own petition, by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York City, the 9th day of June, A. D. 1871.
ROWLAND M. HALL, Assignee,
No. 48 Pine-st., New-York.
THOS. SADLER, Attorney. mh7-law3wTh*

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of MOSES STERNHEIMER, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Before Edgar Ketchum, Esq., Register.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate of Moses Sternheimer, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York City, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1872.
WALDEGRAVE HARLOCK, Assignee,
No. 4 Warren-street, New-York City.
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NO. 3,269.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOSEPH W. HARTLEY, Bankrupt.—In bankruptcy.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Joseph W. Hartley, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said district.—Dated at New-York, the 13th day of March A. D. 1872.
FREDK. B. WIGHTMAN, Assignee,
No. 196 Broadway, New-York City.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ASsignees.—In bankruptcy.—District of New-Jersey, ss.—At Newark, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1872.—The undersigned hereby give notice of their appointment as assignees of Charles L. Rowland and Joseph C. Pugh, of Newark, in the County of Essex and State of New-Jersey, within said district, who have been adjudged bankrupts on creditors' petition by the District Court of said district.
SAMUEL S. UTTER, RODERICK BYINGTON, } Assignees, &c.
To whom it may concern. mh14-law3wTh*

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1873.

Amusements This Evening.

BROOKLYN ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—THE BOHEMIAN GIRL, (English Opera.)—Mme. Parepa-Rosa.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—WIVES AS THEY WERE—Mr. W. Davidge and Miss Clara Morris.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—LALLA ROOKH—Mr. J. B. Studley, Miss Edith Challis.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—THE FOOL'S REVENGE—Mr. Edwin Booth.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—THE VETERAN—Mr. Lester Wallack, Miss Effie Germon.

ST. JAMES' THEATRE.—MARRIAGE—Mr. Mackaye and Miss Griswold.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—LA BELLE SAUVAGE.—Mrs. John Wood and Mr. Mark Smith.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. G. L. Fox and Kiraity Troupe.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—VARIETY PERFORMANCE.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.—WITCHES OF NEW-YORK—Mr. Robert W. Aiken.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND CURIOSITIES—Afternoon and Evening.

BIJOU THEATRE.—LE CACHEMIRE VERT.

NEW-YORK CIRCUS.—EQUESTRIAN, GYMNASTIC AND ATHLETIC FEATS.

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GOV. HOFFMAN yesterday signed the Erie bill, just as it passed the Legislature. The work of Erie reform, so far as it depends directly on the action of the State, may now be considered closed, a fact which the papers so fond of sneering at the claims of the Republican Party to be a reform party would do well to bear in mind. Although the Repeal bill bears the signature of a Democratic Governor, its passage was made possible only by the election of a Republican Legislature.

And now is JAY GOULD to escape?

MR. GLADSTONE has returned a decided negative to Mr. HORSMAN'S inquiry as to whether he was prepared to promise that no fresh negotiations would be concluded with the Government of the United States without the sanction of Parliament. As English Cabinet Ministers are members of either House of Parliament, and as they are directly responsible for their acts to the representative body of the nation, the analogy of the treaty ratifying power of the Senate of the United States does not fit the Constitutional change contemplated by Mr. HORSMAN. We should hardly dream of submitting a treaty to the ordeal of debate by the lower House of Congress, and the British House of Commons has shown bad taste and bad temper enough of late to render them quite as ineligible as any assembly can possibly be for interference with the adjustment of delicate questions affecting international affairs.

There are signs that the Democratic Party may revive the repudiation scheme embodied in their platform of 1868. There is a chorus of accusation kept up by their papers against the Administration for advancing the United States credit, for the "benefit of the bondholders." But the people understand the value of a sound national credit, and they are not foolish enough to turn out the party that maintains it, to put in one that is anxious to break it down.

The apparently interminable wrangling over technical questions of jurisdiction in HALL'S case brings into strong relief the necessity of passing the bill introduced by Mr. TILDEN, providing for the assignment of a Judge of the Supreme Court for the trial of such an issue as that now pending before Judge DALY. The Judge at present presiding over the Court of Sessions is the only local Judge, competent to try the case, who has the entire confidence of the public. Counsel for the defense profess to have the utmost confidence in Judge DALY, but they take a somewhat peculiar method of showing the extent of their confidence by interposing every conceivable objection to his further occupancy of the bench. A bill like Mr. TILDEN'S, providing for the assignment of a Supreme Court Judge from another county for the trial of such a case, would render impossible the vexatious delays to which this important trial has been subjected.

Will Chamberlain PALMER inform the people whether he has, as yet, secured a successor to HAGERTY as Court-house janitor? Mr. PALMER has assured us that HAGERTY has been removed. It may interest the taxpaying community to learn that the present custodian of the Court-house keys is Mrs. HAGERTY, and that within the walls of the Court-house are deposited all the legal proofs which remain of the complicity of TWEED, SWEENY, and their confederates in the plunder of the public Treasury.

The Republican Opposition.

When the people of Connecticut are invited by some eminent Republicans to work for a Democratic victory in their State, by way of injuring Gen. GRANT, they will probably be led to inquire what crime the President has committed to justify this sacrifice of their convictions. They must see that the bitterness of the opposition to Gen. GRANT is out of all proportion to the faults fairly chargeable to him. Had he been guilty of the deepest offenses against the country he could not possibly be assailed with greater fury than CARL SCHURZ, Mr. GREELEY, and other well-known men, have exhibited toward him. Indeed, Mr. GREELEY, as everybody must be aware, never attacked the Tammany Ring with half so much vigor as he has shown in attacking Gen. GRANT. What has the President done to call forth this intense animosity? To what great principle has he been false?—in what respect has he sacrificed the interests of the people? These are questions which deserve a plain answer. One weekly paper says that the President appointed Gen. SICKLES to a foreign mission. But on such points as these, even the opponents of the President are not agreed. Mr. GREELEY does not appear to think that Gen. GRANT is very culpable for giving employment to Gen. SICKLES. There are no matters of public policy on which the opposition can arrive at a common understanding. One section wants free trade—the other loathes it. What great principle is there to bind these discordant factions together? Let the Connecticut voters put that question to the men who are trying to induce them to "throw over" the Republican Party, and see what sort of answer they will get.

Any man who does not happen to be involved in the usual intrigues of politics must be puzzled to account for the extraordinary virulence shown toward Gen. GRANT. It is greater even than ANDREW JOHNSON provoked. We defy any fair observer to examine the President's course since his election, and detect in it anything calculated to explain the fierceness of the assaults made upon him by a small section of Republican leaders. The prosperity of the people has certainly not been impaired under Gen. GRANT'S rule. No one can say that the national finances are in an unsound condition. The President has not been false to the principles of the party which elected him. He has not endeavored to stir up new strife at the South, as ANDREW JOHNSON was accused of doing. What, then, is his offense? How is any one to account for the extreme malevolence by which the Republican opposition to him is characterized?

It is impossible to account for it apart from personal grounds. The curse of the Presidential office is the distribution of offices which it involves. There are many places to give away, and there are about ten times as many applicants as there are places. The persons who get the places make at best but doubtful friends—those who go empty away are turned into bitter enemies. Almost all the intense enmities shown toward Gen. GRANT have been created by the fight over the distribution of patronage. It is a fact, deny it who will, that CARL SCHURZ was very friendly toward the President until he began to draw blanks instead of prizes. The inquiry into the applications for patronage made by certain Senators, obtained on the motion of Senator CONKLING, will throw much light on this subject. The other day, in the Senate, Mr. FENTON admitted that he had "probably" made as many as *three hundred* recommendations to office, within a very short period after he became Senator. How is a man, with this immense crowd of hangers-on, to be "placated?" Senator FENTON could with ease—and with much satisfaction to himself—dispose of the whole patronage of the President among his own friends. He received many offices, and was always crying out, "give, give," until at last the supply stopped, and then he suddenly entered the arena as a "reformer."

Now the public have very little sympathy with this scramble for offices. They do not care who gets the places, so long as those places are properly filled. The civil service scheme, adopted by the President, is the first attempt ever made to insure this kind of distribution. This very reform has deepened the hostility of men like FENTON, for they see now that their chance is indeed desperate. The idea of looking closely into a man's merits before appointing him to office is a disgusting innovation, according to their ideas. The only point Mr. FENTON has been accustomed to consider is this: "Is Dick Brown, who wants a post, a thick-and-thin supporter of mine?" As for his fitness for office, it is mere impertinence to mention the subject. Who, then, is right on this matter—the President or his assailants? We hope the people of Connecticut will not fail to give that question, and the others we have suggested, a fair consideration.

Amendments to the Charter.

It is reported that the Senate Committee on Cities have agreed upon the principal amendments which they are prepared to recommend to the charter as passed by the Assembly. Among these is said to be a return to the old system of two Boards in the Common Council. The Committee appear to have proceeded on the theory that one Board of forty-five members would be found a somewhat cumbrous machine for purposes of deliberation and local legislation. Whatever force there may be in such an objection to the Seventy's scheme, it is more than counterbalanced by the fact that the device of duplicate Boards, neither of which can mature a resolution into law without the consent of the other, tends to disturb the entire harmony of the various parts of the new charter. The appointment of Commissioners other than those appointed by the Mayor, and the other functions of the Common Council prescribed under the new charter, have all been provided for on the basis of a single Board. Two Boards of thirty members each can hardly afford any fresh security against misgovernment which could not be obtained under one Board of forty-five. The Senate Districts are more likely to elect a majority of men of high character and pronounced ability under the provision for one Board than under that for two; and it is good men, after all, that we want most.

Another amendment said to have been agreed to by the Senate Committee is the retention of Controller GREEN. As we have already stated, there are many arguments which can be urged in favor of such a proposal, and absolutely none which can be made against it. The public Treasury is safe while Mr. GREEN remains its guardian, and the great object of the Reform movement was to rescue the public Treasury from the hands of a clique of unscrupulous plunderers. Every corrupt combination in the City would unite upon any candidate for Mayor who should pledge himself to place a less scrupulous and more flexible man at the head of the Department of Finance. No earnest Reformer can object to making a certainty of an advantage which no honest citizen wishes to see placed in jeopardy.

We fail to see that the reported proposal to confirm the tenure of office of Mr. VAN NORT stands upon a similar footing. Because a man who was, in every sense, the nominee of the people, should be confirmed in possession of an office which is of the most vital importance to the cause of Reform, there is no possible reason why the nominee of HALL, and the approved of TWEED and HANK SMITH, should have the same distinction. The general community of New-York never heard of Mr. VAN NORT till Judge HILTON bestowed on him the fancy title of Controller of the Department of Parks, and even that only partially rescued him from complete obscurity. Had he manifested any special talents for his suddenly acquired position of Commissioner of Public Works, his previous want of experience could hardly have been urged to his prejudice. We have seen no evidence that Mr. VAN NORT has any special aptitude for his post, and to confirm him in the possession of his present office is only likely to deter men of higher character and attainments from undertaking the very important duties which will devolve upon the new Board of Public Works.

The proposal to place the Police and Health Departments under the control of a Metropolitan Commission, to be appointed by two Judges of the Superior Court, selected from each of the great political parties, has many elements of wisdom. This is, perhaps, the nearest approach we can have to the elevation of these two great guarantees of public safety beyond the reach of politics. Those who really believe in the necessity of a thoroughly non-partisan administration of local affairs, will be the last to take exception to such an arrangement. We incline to the belief that the water supply of the City, which is every year becoming a subject of greater magnitude, should be placed under the control of a special Board, similarly removed beyond the reach of constant political change. Another amendment which may fairly be considered by the Senate is in regard to the clauses of the charter relating to City advertising. As amended by the Assembly, these clauses are exceedingly ambiguous, and open the way to a repetition of some of the worst vices of the old system. The tax-payers cannot afford to go on spending a million of dollars a year for advertising, three-fourths of which are worse than thrown away, and the Senate cannot too clearly make a renewal of this abuse impossible.

Reform in Legislation.

The public are indebted to Hon. L. BRADFORD PRINCE, of Queens, for calling attention early in the session of the Legislature to a very important reform. On the 3d of February Mr. PRINCE called up and spoke to a resolution instructing the Judiciary Committee, of which he is Chairman, to inquire "what reforms, if any, can be made in the methods of legislation in this State, and to report by bill or otherwise." We trust that, in spite of the heavy claims made on his time by the Judiciary investigation in this City, and the other important duties of his Committee, to which he devotes himself with great fidelity, Mr. PRINCE will be able to secure the report required in this resolution.

In supporting the resolution, he depicted very clearly the evils to which it referred, and made some statements which must have astonished new members, as they will doubtless astonish our readers, but which are, nevertheless, literally true. He remarked, for instance, that of one thousand bills passed by the Legislature, not two hundred and fifty are read in the House or in the Committee of the Whole; and on hundreds of bills recorded as passed, not an average of five affirmative votes will actually be given. Of course, this state of things opens the door to innumerable frauds. Legislatures at their best are not incapable of corrupt action, but average Legislatures, voting away blindly at the behest of parties more or less interested, or allowing bills to be recorded as passed without even a hasty and thoughtless vote, must produce insufferably bad work. In such a condition of affairs, only the most prominent and best known bills stand a chance of being treated with deliberation or conscientiousness, and a host of minor ones, containing in their provisions all sorts of jobs, rush through. It is to this method of doing legislative business that we owe the greater part of the Tammany schemes—schemes like TOM FIELDS' firemen's fund, for instance, the passage of which paid him for many an hour's bellowing in the Assembly.

Our legislation was brought to this pass primarily through the enormous pressure of business, which every year grows greater. In seeking to get on with this in the limited sessions allowed, devices have been resorted to for saving time, which practically annul the rules made to secure deliberation. The rules require a bill to be read three times. The first is the mere recitation of the formal introduction, "the people of the State," &c.; the second is by the title, the third is by the title and the concluding phrase, omitting all else. This, by fixed custom, is now regarded as sufficient, and it is, of course, a merely formal and worthless obedience to the rules. The rules further contemplate the consideration of all bills by sections in the Committee of the Whole. That is avoided by moving in the Committee to postpone a bill, and then in the House disagreeing with the report of the Committee and ordering the bill to a third reading, which, unless the bill is a very conspicuous one, is sure to be agreed to. A third time-saving contrivance is the "Grinding Committee," which is composed of the members, and possesses all the powers, of the Committee of the Whole with reference to a large class of bills. A fourth is to refer bills to a committee to "report complete," which gives the Committee the powers of the Committee of the Whole, and enables them to put bills on their passage.

We need not point out how prolific in abuse these methods of doing business are. Our crowded statute books, and the constantly increasing evil of conflicting legislation, are familiar to all. We trust that Mr. PRINCE, who has given much thought to this matter, will be able to bring it to the attention of the Assembly before the close of the session.

The Trial of Hall.

The present complication in the Hall trial is a very curious one. In the first place, the trial is held under an extension of the November Term of the General Sessions, as made by Judge BEDFORD. The absence of the City Judge when the trial was called on, rendered the bench vacant, as the intimate personal relations of Recorder HACKETT with Mayor HALL disabled him from presiding. The presiding Judge (DALY) had the power to further extend the term from February into March, but while thus sitting as a General Sessions Judge, *ad interim*, Recorder HACKETT opened the regular March Term of that Court. The fact of two Courts being in session at the same time would not have invalidated the trial of HALL, had not one of his jurors (CLARK) died. When the Hall jury was selected, the remainder of the panel was discharged, under the natural impression that the twelve men selected would complete the trial and the extended term. But the sudden death of Mr. CLARK, left a vacancy in the Hall jury, which could not be filled from that November panel, it having been unconditionally discharged. The question to be decided by Judge DALY now is, whether he has the right to call for a new panel and proceed with the trial after obtaining a new jury; though it is claimed that if he does call for a new panel, it will necessarily belong to Recorder HACKETT, as he is now holding the regular March Term of the Court. The question is to be decided, one way or the other, on Saturday, but, in the meantime, Judge BEDFORD has returned to the City, and his presence in the Court will deprive Judge DALY of the right to preside at the trial of HALL. This turn of affairs is unfortunate, for Judge DALY has manifested an earnest desire to have all the evidence connected with the case brought out, and it is desirable that there should be no interference with him in the further conduct of the trial.

Sands' Silence.

The notorious NATHANIEL SANDS emerged on Tuesday last from the discreet privacy in which he has latterly kept himself, and lent the imposing presence of his patriarchal brow to the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the new Normal College in Sixty-eighth-street. Though he beamed placidly upon the audience, and seemed to be frequently on the point of stretching out his arms and blessing the multitude, after the manner of earlier patriarchs, he did not venture to make a speech. This is a proof of unexpected modesty in SANDS. As everybody knows, he is master of the subject of popular education. It is only a year or two ago that he published under his own name a pamphlet setting forth the manifest unfitness of Latin as a study for Americans, on the ground that it was the language of an Empire, and hence would certainly undermine the Republican principles of our youth. The fact that SANDS did not write this pamphlet does not prove that he was ignorant of its contents. Indeed, the argument against the study of Latin was undoubtedly suggested by SANDS to the writer, for it is one which he has long supported in private, and it is hardly conceivable that two men living at the same time and in the same country could be capable of independently originating so remarkable a discovery. However this may be, it was quite open to SANDS to rehearse as much of this precious pamphlet as he could remember, and by so doing gain the credit of having made a speech on the subject of education. Or, if he fancied that the public would not endure any more of that particular pamphlet, he might have employed the young man who wrote it to write him a fresh speech. What that complaisant young man "done" once (to use SANDS' favorite idiom) he would doubtless have been willing to "done" again.

It is just possible that SANDS' silence was really due to a new-born modesty. Most of his associates in the Ring are just now equally modest. CONNOLLY has even fled from the sight of men, while TWEED and SWEENY no longer show themselves in their once familiar haunts. SANDS may have thought that if he came forward on the platform, and began to set forth the essential wickedness of the Latin language—or to expound any other idea with which his young man might have crammed him—a brutal public might ask him unpleasant questions. It is certainly conceivable that there are persons depraved enough to have demanded of him what had become of the $70,000 of which he had deprived—to put it mildly—the City tax-payers? Or some heartless being might ask him when he would make another attempt to sell out the Citizens' Association? These questions would have unpleasantly interrupted the exposition of the ideas of SANDS' young man, and might have thrown himself into such confusion that he would have totally forgotten his lesson, and been forced to ignominiously sit down. It is plain, therefore, that his modest reticence was the part of wisdom. The manipulation of public bonds has been profitable to him, but it has not made him a welcome public speaker. Were he to reconstruct the proverb which compares speech to silver, and silence to gold, he might, just at present, express the convictions of his best friends by saying that bond brokerage has been as silver to him, but that silence is now more precious than gold.

More Revelations of "The Unseen."

Two new prophets have turned up across the sea. One has put forth his predictions in Belfast, and the other in London. One writes as "Elijah," and the other as CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD. Both are intimately acquainted with the secrets of the "unseen world," and both laugh to scorn the pretensions of all contemporaries to similar knowledge. "Elijah" begins by announcing that people are often deluded by books pretending to reveal supernatural mysteries. This artful stroke is intended, of course, to beget confidence. It is difficult to suppose so candid a prophet to be capable of deceit; and, when a gentleman appears as a prophet and naïvely tells us at the outset that "it seems to be absurd for intellectual beings to converse so much about places of which they are utterly ignorant," even the most sceptical must, of course, assent to the integrity of his purpose, whatever they may think of the nature of his inspiration.

"Elijah's" work is an epic poem of forty-eight books. He has apparently been fired by the late example of Mr. ROBERT BUCHANAN, for, as in that "trilogy of tragedies," "The Drama of Kings," the hero of Elijah, at least for his first twelve books, is Beelzebub himself. The difference is that Mr. BUCHANAN interprets his fiend through the persons of BISMARCK and the two NAPOLEONS—First and Third—while Elijah's demon talks *in propria persona*. Of the remaining thirty-six books of the poem, twelve are devoted to an account by "Wisdom" of Satan's schemes and failures, and twenty-four to a general survey of creation, with a true and authentic revelation of the approaching millenium, its attendant incidents and conclusion. In compliance with the prevalent taste for illustration, the book is embellished with "four photographs, each twelve by fourteen inches." One of these is a chart of the Broad and Narrow Roads; another is a military map of Satan's troops besieging the world; another is a plan of the heavens, forming a key to Ezekiel's vision, and the fourth "an elevation of the material globe of heaven, revolving on its axis, and flying through space with its four universes." This astonishing production is furthermore provided with a vast store of scientific facts. Among other things, we learn from it that there are three kinds of comets. One consists of "fused globes, which are places of punishment launched into space," whereof we trust the Plantamour meteor, which is to visit us in June, is not a specimen. Another sort are "lamps which light up planets remote from their central suns," and the third have a mysterious use which is not even hinted at. A declaration of "Elijah's," almost as interesting, is to the effect that the Pyramids are, in reality, "the stone Bible," and not the tombs of the Egyptian kings, as has been so long erroneously supposed.

Perhaps Mr. CUTHBERT COLLINGWOOD ought not to be named in the same article as "Elijah," since *his* prophetic poem is only in eight books instead of six times that number, and, although accepted by the reviewers as a "prophet," his lucubrations are mainly retrospective. Mr. COLLINGWOOD is kind enough to give an exact and minute description of the six days of the creation, which he prefers to call "the six demiurgic days." His clairvoyant eye, piercing through the mists of the centuries, sees in definite shape all the processes and evolutions of the antediluvian world. A "Seer" turns up in the course of the poem and points out all manner of "correspondencies" and analogies that exist between man and nature. The most plausible conjecture suggested by Mr. COLLINGWOOD'S production, is, that prior to composing it, he must have just read the works of SWEDENBORG and ANDREW JACKSON DAVIS, and then gone mad. It is worth noting of these rival prophets—who seem to fill in theology very much the same niche that Mr. GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN has made his own in politics—that grave periodicals, on the other side of the Atlantic, have criticized their ravings at some length, and not altogether in a spirit of ridicule. Possibly these distinguished authors and *seers* are members of the Dialectical Society, and as such, have commanded a respect unlikely otherwise to have been bestowed.

Royal Courtesies.

On the Thanksgiving Day recently held in England for the recovery of the Prince of WALES, something occurred at Buckingham Palace to which, in some quarters, no little political significance has been assigned. The Ex-Emperor, NAPOLEON III., his wife and son breakfasted on that day, by formal invitation, with Queen VICTORIA. The distinguished exile appeared on the balcony of the Palace "to salute the Queen," whereupon he was greeted with vast enthusiasm, and, according to a journal before us, "when he proceeded through the streets the cheering was continuous and vehement." This is construed by some to be one of those events that cast their shadows before, and to imply a belief on the part of the British Government that the restoration of the Emperor will not long be deferred. It is possible that such a belief may be entertained, but the Queen is scarcely under the necessity to pay regard to the contingency in extending her social courtesies. Subjects may find it expedient to worship a rising sun, but hardly powerful sovereigns. The two families, moreover, have long been on terms of cordial intercourse, and among the many penalties of wearing a crown, that of being forced to turn a cold shoulder to friends in misfortune is not necessarily included. As regards the cheering of the London mob, it is obviously susceptible of more constructions than one. The snake of traditional hostility to France may be scotched in England, but perhaps is not entirely killed; and may not an English crowd, for obvious reasons and in that sense, feel gratitude to the "Man of Sedan?" One argument against the latter, and in favor of the former, view, is perhaps to be found in the injured tone of the Anti-Bonapartist Press, which would evidently like just now to circumscribe the privileges of royalty so that no dethroned French ruler should ever be invited to breakfast by an English monarch—at least until an illustrious Legitimist or Orleanist exile finds himself in the position of NAPOLEON III.

Church Troubles in Bulgaria.

The Greek Church is, as most people probably are aware, governed by a high functionary called the Patriarch of Constantinople, This potentate exercises not only a spiritual, but something of a civil, jurisdiction over his Turkish flock. He is regarded by the Porte as the legal head of the Christian Church in the Sultan's dominions, and is permitted to levy a yearly poll-tax from His Majesty's Christian subjects. For many years, however, there has been a tendency in Bulgaria to oppose his supremacy. That province, which is just the size of Ireland, is the best cultivated, and, on the whole, the most prosperous in the Turkish dominions. Nearly one-half of its three million inhabitants are Christians. They are an industrious, energetic race, who appear to have a great longing for independence. Some months ago a section of the Bulgarian Bishops and ecclesiastics came into actual collision with the patriarchal authorities in Constantinople. The Bulgarians supported their own ecclesiastics, and the Turkish Government, which seldom interferes in the religious differences of its unholy pork-eating subjects, at length took action on the Bulgarian side. After a while the Council of the Constantinople Church, which had proscribed several of the Bulgarian Bishops, finding that it was getting the worst of the squabble, met, and put forth a proclamation to the effect that if the Bulgarians would come and say that they were very sorry that they had been so wicked, their wishes should meet with some consideration, but at the same time it was stated that no measure of autonomy could be granted beyond that which the orthodox canons of the Greek Church permitted.

This was unsatisfactory to the Bulgarians, and the Porte immediately came to their rescue with a firman, authorizing a separate religious administration for Bulgaria. This has thrown the Patriarchal party at Constantinople into a frenzy of wrath and indignation. It protests indignantly against an infidel authority daring to interfere in such a matter at all, and disputes its right so to do. Of course, the event is a great blow to the Greek Church, and it cannot be regarded as other than an important schism.

MINOR TOPICS.

All three of the boats of the Staten Island Ferry Company are now in the hands of the Sheriff, having been seized in satisfaction of judgments rendered in favor of those who were injured, or whose relatives were killed, by the *Westfield* explosion. The boats are still running, but the presence of a Deputy Sheriff in each one protects the interests of the Company's creditors, although it does not appear what security the unfortunate Deputy Sheriff has against being blown up and drowned. It is now confidently asserted that the result of the *Westfield* massacre will be the financial ruin of the Company—its property not being sufficient to satisfy the numerous judgments already entered against it. This is a result upon which the public is to be congratulated. If every inexcusable steam-boat or railway accident would insure the heavy loss of the Company whose agents were at fault, there would be a great diminution in the number of yearly accidents.

It appears that the bit of evidence in the Tichborne case which finally broke down the claimant was that relating to certain tattoo marks. In the course of his cross-examination, he was asked by the Attorney-General: "Were you ever tattooed in your life?" To which the claimant answered: "I were not." When the case for the defense came on, Lord BELLEW appeared in the witness-box, and swore "to having tattooed initials on the inside of ROGER TICHBORNE'S arm when a fellow-student with him at Stonyhurst, the marks of which would have been indelible, as he proved by showing his own arm, similarly tattooed at the same time, but which marks existed neither on the arm nor in the imagination of the claimant. He was followed by Mrs. RADCLIFFE, Messrs. ALFRED and H. SEYMOUR, Lady DOUGHTY and Mrs. NANGLE—all near relatives of ROGER TICHBORNE; by two French gentlemen who had educated him in Paris, by the servant who had attended him for some weeks before he embarked on board the *Bella* at Rio, and by other witnesses intimately acquainted with him in France and England. Not one of these witnesses could be shaken on cross-examination. Most of them were able to confirm Lord BELLEW'S evidence as to the tattooing in the most circumstantial and positive manner, distinguishing the initials from other tattoo marks of an earlier date. This seems to have been enough for the jury, and the result was that CASTRO, or ORTON, or whatever the claimant's true name may be, was instantly provided with free lodgings—in Newgate.

A somewhat curious suit was brought in London lately by executors for the recovery of money. The Marquis of ANGLESEY, then Lord UXBRIDGE, being on a visit to his brother-in-law, the late unfortunate Marquis of HASTINGS, confided to his sister that he was in desperate pecuniary difficulties. The Marchioness suggested that he should speak to her husband. Accordingly when in the enjoyment of a friendly game of billiards, Lord ANGLESEY begged of his brother-in-law a loan of $15,000, Lord HASTINGS said this was impossible, for he was very hard up himself, but he could assist him with $2,500, and this was accordingly paid soon after to his banders. This sum the executors claimed, and Lord ANGLESEY refused to pay, alleging that Lord HASTINGS had never referred to the matter, and meant the money to be a gift. The jury decided for Lord ANGLESEY. This is not the first time that a man has found himself in great inconvenience by the action of executors who are frequently compelled to act contrary to what they feel sure would have been the testator's intentions. People who borrow money would do wisely to provide for such contingencies.

The other day a well "caved in" somewhere in the West and buried an aged colored person who was at the bottom, fifty feet under-ground. The men of the neighborhood took pity upon the well-owner, and they therefore undertook to dig the well again. They dug steadily downward, and in time reached the place where they expected to find the flattened remains of the unfortunate colored man. Instead of a corpse they found an unhurt man. He had borne for hours the weight of fifty feet of earth without finding it in the least inconvenient. After this, let no one speak of the negro race as weak, and ready to be pushed to the wall. Whatever else he may be, he is certainly not weak, and if the colored person just referred to is a fair specimen of his people, it may unhesitatingly be said that the colored race is in no danger of extinction.

A correspondent of the London *Daily News* gives a lively account of a visit he recently paid to Newgate Prison. Jumping into a Hansom cab at the West End, he inquired, in all innocence, "Do you know Newgate?" Thereupon Cabby's countenance exhibited unmistakable indications of displeasure, and with Spartan brevity he replied, "Drop it!" Explanation followed, Jehu was appeased, and the fare duly put down at the grim and grimy portal. The jailer stated that he found prisoners condemned to death gave themselves up to despair for a day or two, but after that, accepted it as inevitable, rarely alluded to their crime, and talked on various subjects. They nearly always sleep well the night before execution. In the press-room, a sort of criminal museum, the writer saw the identical irons which shackled JACK SHEPPARD, and other mementoes of eminent felons. There is a remarkable collection of the models of heads of celebrated ruffians, highly instructive to the phrenological student. Newgate, we learn, is not without its attractions, and although oakum-picking is not a delightful employment, the toiler's heart is cheered with soup so savory and strong that the writer could understand an agricultural laborer, with ten shillings a week and twelve children, committing a crime even to get a whiff of this delicious mixture. It is to be hoped that the *Daily News* does not circulate in the agricultural districts.

Boating Arrangements at Harvard University.

From the Boston Journal, March 18.

The Harvard College University crew are already looking forward to the Fall races, and about eight men are now engaged in practice daily in the gymnasium with the rowing apparatus, preparing themselves for service in the crew prospective. It is settled that Mr. W. C. LORING is to be the Captain, and it is now thought that the crew will include R. S. RUSSELL, who pulled in the University crew at the Springfield race last year, and R. H. DANA and WENDELL GOODWIN, of last season's Freshman crew. The other members are yet to be decided upon. A shell is now to be ordered, 51 feet by 20 inches, for the actual contest, the preliminary practice being done in the same boat as last year. Mr. TUCKER, of last season's University crew, has declared his intention not to row this year, which is to be regretted, as he is one of the best oarsmen in the college. The Freshman crew, which will be commanded by Capt. HARTWELL, are about to order a shell 49½ feet by 21 inches, and will practice in a lap-streak 47 feet by 24 inches. The selection of the members of this crew is yet to be made. Both the University and Freshman crews will go into training in about two weeks, if the weather proves suitable, at their rowing-ground, on the Charles River. The place at which the races will come off is yet undecided, the names of Worcester, New-London and Springfield being mentioned. Mr. BLAIKIE, who has built the boats used in former contests by the College crews, will have the orders again this year. It is possible that a second Freshman crew will go into practice this year, their expenses to be paid by themselves.

The South Brazil Railways and the Coffee Trade.

Some confusion, and no little exaggeration exists regarding the locality, extent, and probable effect of the land-slide on the San Paulo Railway, in South Brazil. The railway taps the great coffee-growing basin of the province of San Paulo at Campinas, from which centre it carries freight over the table-land, a distance of 120 miles, to the port of Santos on the coast, 180 miles south of Rio, whence it is shipped directly to Europe, little or none ever being sent to Rio for re-shipment to the United States. The feature of this railway is the ascent from the coast to the table-land back of Santos. This is achieved by a series of four inclined planes, a mile in length each, worked by large Cornish engines stationed at the head of each incline, and it is at this point of the line that the cable dispatches from Lisbon locate the land-slide, and where a similar accident once retarded continuous running several years ago. But no fears need be entertained of a serious effect on the coffee supply, as the San Paulo crop is nearly all conveyed to the market. But the San Paulo Road has been confounded with the Dom Pedro Segunda Railway, which is the main road of the Empire, supplying the commerce of Rio with the staples for export, and it has been asserted that now all coffee would, of necessity, have to be transported over the Union and Industrial Road on pack mules. Long years ago pack mules ceased to be the feature of this the finest macadam road on the continent, their place being taken by the four-wheeled wagon drawn by mules, and to this day, even with the railway in operation, much coffee is thus drawn from Juiz da Fora, down the Simbion of the Organ Mountains, Maua, thence by rail and barge to Rio.

The Lincoln Monument.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

As a contributor to the "Lincoln Monument Fund" and an old reader of the TIMES, I feel that I have a right to ask through the columns of your paper why the Committee do not erect an ornamental iron railing with lamps around the monument in Union-square. It would certainly add much to its appearance and complete a now unfinished piece of work.

R. H. MORRIS,
No. 206 East Fifteenth-street.
NEW-YORK, Wednesday, March 20, 1873.

THE POLITICAL FIELD.

Opening of the Republican Campaign in Connecticut.

The Ohio State Republican Convention—What the "Soreheads" will Call Their Coming Gathering — Miscellaneous Facts and Opinions.

CONNECTICUT CAMPAIGN.

Speeches of Gen. Hawley and Senator Wilson at Meriden and Windsor—Democratic Disguises Exposed.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

MERIDEN, Conn., March 20.—The canvass in Connecticut has opened in earnest, and meetings are being held nightly in all the important cities. To-night Gen. JOSEPH R. HAWLEY addressed a large meeting in the City Hall in Meriden. He began by saying that there has rarely been a time in the history of the nation when there was so much general prosperity, and it was plain that Republican control for eleven years has not deranged business. Our debt, as a consequence of the Democratic rebellion, had greatly increased; but the revenues have been faithfully collected, the country has been carried successfully through this financial crisis, and the Republican Party is now engaged in the congenial task of reducing taxation. The period since 1860 has been unparalleled in human history, and during that time, more than ever before, we have been an example to mankind because of the policy and work of the Republican Party. To achieve the great blessings which the party has showered upon the nation, it has been necessary to fight every inch with the Democratic Party. There was no single step taken in defense of the Government—no great measure, which the Democratic Party did not oppose. It was not only emancipation, but all the military and financial measures, that the Democracy denounced; as they did, also, the policy of reconstruction, because Democrats who had been in arms against the Government were not allowed to resume their places in the councils of the nation they had endeavored to destroy. In spite of the Democracy, the Republican Party had put down the rebellion and had reconstructed the nation upon the sure foundation of universal freedom, universal suffrage and almost universal amnesty, for the history of the world may be challenged to equal the magnanimity of the Republican Party in dealing with the rebels. No one of them was ever hanged, none of their property was confiscated and no one of them is debarred from voting. The only punishment for this unparalleled crime was the constitutional amendment prohibiting some few of these Democrats from holding office without the consent of two-thirds of Congress. The Democrats are now anxious to have the people forget the record they have made as a political organization during the last dozen years, but it cannot be forgotten. They now profess an anxiety for new issues, but present none. They certainly have none on the national currency, which is the best the country has ever had. They will not at least in Connecticut make an issue of the tariff question, for they tried that in New-Hampshire and lost by it. They do, however, have much to say about the centralization of the Government by the Republican policy. They profess to have accepted in good faith the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, but they object to all laws to carry them into effect as centralization, and this single fact is irrefutable proof that the Democracy cannot be trusted to administer a Government so greatly based upon these Amendments. They had been especially severe upon the Kuklux law as tyrannical, but had never had anything to say about the infamous outrages which made the law necessary. In Connecticut they have come out in a new dress, called by various names, the whole intent being to get into office by virtue of a disguise. They went away off to Missouri to get a platform from a little knot of Republicans who were angry with Gen. GRANT. Except some few vile insinuations against the President this platform is precisely that on which the Republican Party of Connecticut went before the people last Spring. The Republicans who made this Missouri platform cannot stay on it, as they must inevitably come back into the regular organization or go over to the Democracy.

Gen. HAWLEY proceeded to analyze the platform, and made an effective point by showing that the words "faithful now, as they were during the dark days of civil war, to the true principles of Republicanism," had been omitted by the Connecticut Democracy when they borrowed the Missouri livery to deceive the people with. They have not had a word to say against the Republican management of the State affairs during the past sixteen years. Under that management the State taxes had been largely reduced, and a proof of what they would have been under Democratic rule could be seen in what it had done in New-York City, where millions had been stolen. The Speaker then made some reference to State matters and closed with an eloquent appeal to his hearers to support the whole Republican ticket.

Among the other meetings to-night was one at Winsted, addressed with great force by Senator HENRY WILSON. Among his last remarks, however, was a caution to Republicans not to be led away by the question of the Presidential renomination. There was no doubt that a great majority of the Republicans of the State desire the renomination of Gen. GRANT, but that is a matter which should not be brought into this canvass. The Democrats were trying to persuade the few Republicans who might be opposed to the nomination of the President for a second term, that it is their duty to stay from the polls and thus defeat Gov. JEWELL. Gen. WILSON said he is as much a Grant man as any one, and should, no doubt vote for him in the Philadelphia Convention and at the polls in November; but he is more a Republican than he is a Grant man, and he counselled his hearers not to be caught by this device of the enemy. Gen. GRANT himself has said that this question is not one which should be allowed in any way to distract or weaken the Republican Party, and that he desires the Philadelphia Convention to do that which shall seem best for the party. There was no doubt that Gen. GRANT would be renominated and re-elected as well, but that was not an issue of this State canvass to the extent which the Democrats were endeavoring to make it.

Confidence in a Republican triumph in the State is increasing, and although it is admitted by all that the majority will be small, it is believed that Gov. JEWELL will be re-elected by the people. The only thing that can prevent such a result and throw the election into the Legislature is the fact that some few hundred votes may be cast for the Temperance candidate, and Gov. JEWELL in consequence have a plurality only. The canvass, however, looks far more encouraging for the Republicans than that of last year did at the same period. E. C.

Officials in Washington to go Home to Vote.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Connecticut Republicans who are here are very active under the lead of Col. TENNEY, Chairman of the Resident Committee, and are sending speakers and documents into the State freely. Senator NYE will speak next week at various points, and HON. WM. WILLIAMS, of Indiana, will return to the State for speeches on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Other speakers will follow. Full arrangements have been made for the transportation home of Connecticut voters.

A Moral Worth Attention in Connecticut.

From Harper's Weekly.

In the "Presidential" year the March election in New-Hampshire usually prefigures that of November in the whole country. And this is not a mere coincidence. In a closely balanced State the condition of political feeling in the Spring is not likely to change before the Autumn, except for very serious reasons, and it may be expected that the majority in March will be proportionately greater in November. Moreover, nothing indicates public feeling so surely as an election. Eloquent orators and able editors, by sharp criticisms and vehement declarations, bravely assuming to speak for the people, will often create an impression that public opinion is very different from what it really is. But an election corrects such errors. It is the people speaking for themselves—not always wisely, not in every case honestly. But there is no other way of ascertaining public feeling which, upon the whole, is so satisfactory, notwithstanding the part played by fraud, ignorance and selfishness, as a general election. What, then, may fairly be called the moral of the New-Hampshire election?

In the beginning of the fourth year of an Administration which has been attacked with unsparing rigor; which has been denounced as phenomenally corrupt and base; the head of which has been derided as sordid, ignorant and incompetent, the tool or the accomplice of a band of thieves; an Administration of which many of the chief officers have been accused of betraying the honor of the country; which has been arraigned by several of the most conspicuous of its party friends; and to defeat the continuance of which organized measures have been taken to produce a party schism—in the fourth year of an Administration of which it has been contemptuously alleged that all the representative men of its party had abandoned it, leaving it to the paid support of camp-followers and bummers—the people of New-Hampshire have emphatically declared their confidence in the Administration, and their total disbelief of the injurious charges incessantly urged against it.

A short time since we ventured to say that a reaction in favor of the President and his Administration would certainly follow the persistent and often malignant assaults that abounded upon every side. Unless the American political theory is wholly erroneous, there is an enlightened public conscience which constantly surveys and, upon the whole, justly judges the characters of public men and the course of public affairs. A man who observes only individual ignorance and prejudice may often wonder in whom that conservative public sagacity resides. When a war comes like the rebellion, or an election like that of '64 or '68, or an appeal like that of last year against Tammany in New-York, he is forced to say, with TALLEYRAND, that all men are wiser than any man. The test of leadership is the instinct which sees the fact through the appearance. Common leadership was that of FERNANDO WOOD trying to send arms to the rebels to slay loyal citizens. The situation seemed to show that to be the winning side. Uncommon leadership was that of ABRAHAM LINCOLN emancipating the slaves.

Now this public conscience saw Gen. GRANT called, four years ago, from the field in which he had saved a nation and the hope of liberty to be the Chief civil Magistrate of this country. It knew very well that he had no especial training for the office, but it relied upon his honesty, his sagacity and his courage. It saw always his plain purpose to administer his great trust for the highest public welfare. It saw the debt steadily reduced and taxation diminished. It saw difficult foreign relations managed with equal temper and good sense. It saw an Indian policy at once original, sagacious and benificent, inspired by justice and humanity. It saw the work of reconstruction formally completed, and a faithful and wise friendship for the race which had been so long outraged. It saw greater economy and fidelity in the collection of the public revenues; and it saw also that the Chief Magistrate was surrounded by a Cabinet beyond reproach.

Meanwhile, it saw also mistakes. It saw, as we believe, many things that it was sorry to see. Officers were sometimes appointed whom, although the Senate confirmed, the best public opinion did not approve; and some officers remained when the same opinion thought that they should have been removed. But the good sense of the country saw that if there were evil traditional systems which could not be broken by a word or an act, and that if sometimes the President had been ill-advised, yet that his Administration must be judged as a whole, and could not be condemned because of some doubtful or notorious officers. It knew also that a lie travels a league while truth is pulling on its boots; and that while it is always difficult to know the exact facts when sides are hotly taken, yet that whatever the abuses of the civil service, it was not only steadily improving, but that its systematic improvement had never received from any Administration such careful consideration as from that of Gen. GRANT.

The result of this close observation of the Administration is apparent in the New-Hampshire election. The failure of the prolonged and bitter attack upon it is equally plain. The President and the Administration were the Republican platform, and the result is a vote of confidence. It shows that the people do not believe that parties should be dissolved, and the higher welfare of the country abandoned to a scrub-race of new organizations. It shows a profound conviction that the defeat of the Republican party, under whatever fair name and fine promise, and by whatever coalition that defeat should be secured, would be a peril not to be tolerated. It shows, in fine, that in the judgment of the people of New-Hampshire, who may be fairly taken as the representative of the great mass of intelligent and loyal American citizens, the President and his Administration have been tried in the balance and not found wanting.

OHIO.

Preparing for the State Convention—Mr. Greeley and the Forthcoming "Sore-Head" Gathering.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Hon. JOHN A. BINGHAM will visit Columbus, Ohio, on the 27th inst., to make the principal speech at the Republican State Convention. Much amusement is created here by Mr. GREELEY'S nervousness lest some earnest and loyal Republicans are found in the Cincinnati Convention, and this fact is regarded as additional evidence that the managers are secretly changing the character of the gathering from a mass meeting to a delegate convention, least they lose control of it. Mr. GREELEY'S nervousness in this direction is illustrated by the fact that, whereas he now approves a delegate gathering, only a few weeks ago he wrote to a Missouri bolter, urging him to come and to bring all he could.

RHODE ISLAND.

Nomination of State Officers by the Democratic Party.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 20.—The Rhode Island Democratic State Convention met in this city this morning. A. J. BARNABY was chosen President. Nominations for State officers were made as follows: For Governor, OLNEY ARNOLD, of Providence; Lieutenant-Governor, CHARLES R. CUTLER, of Warren; Secretary of State, WM. J. MILLER, of Bristol; Attorney-General, GEORGE N. BLISS, of East Providence; General Treasurer, WM. P. CONGDON, of Newport. After some debate upon the propriety of sending delegates to the National Convention, not yet called, the following delegates were chosen to the Democratic National Convention, if one is held: Amasa Sprague, Lyman Pierce, William B. Beach, Nicholas Van Vlyck, Nathan H. Gould, Elisha C. Clarke, Thomas A. Reynolds, Edward W. Brunsen. No resolutions were adopted. A State Central Committee was appointed, and the Convention adjourned.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

Opinions of Secretary Boutwell—Democratic Talk and Democratic Intentions—Senator Sumner.

A correspondent of the Chicago *Post* gives the following as the substance of a recent conversation with Secretary BOUTWELL in Washington:

"The precedents of our political history, and all the lessons from our national life, show that whenever the time for the dissolution of the Republican Party shall come, the political succession will inevitably fall to the Democratic Party. That period has not yet arrived. The fullness of time has not come. The Republican Party will not be disbanded this year, but will be intrusted with the administration of national affairs at least for another Presidential term. The Democrats accept this theory concerning the political succession. They expect to have the sceptre of national power once more restored to them. They will do nothing to endanger such a heritage, or to diminish or impair the privileges which it may bring. They understand that a patience which promises a fruition of power is to be preferred to a temporary success by which they would be shorn of power. Accordingly, they will not support the nominees of the Cincinnati Convention unless the nominees are men in good standing in the Democratic Party. They will support no Republican who may be nominated at that Convention. Should they do so they would disrupt their organization and forfeit their right to the political succession.

One of the immediate results of such a policy would be that the Democratic Party, as such, would in future lose a very large portion of its present following in the South. A quarter of a century ago the Democrats of the North formed a compact with the slave-drivers of the South by which the Northern leaders sold the traditional principles of their party to secure a power to be purchased by the maintenance of slavery. Both parties were faithful to their bad vows until the era of the rebellion. Slavery was maintained. The slaveholders helped to keep the Democrats in power. But, slavery being no longer maintained, the consideration which led the Southern Democracy to join the compact has failed. There is no longer any essential bond of unity or identity of interest which tends to unite Northern Democrats to their Southern brethren. If the Democratic Party should, therefore, support a Republican nominee at Cincinnati, the Democracy of the South might choose hereafter to forget their faithless partners and cling to the new-found bride.

In the opinion of Mr. BOUTWELL, therefore, the Democrats will, for the present, continue their policy of masterly inactivity. They will claim to have overcome all partisan prejudices. They will insist that the politician and sectional asperities of two decades shall now be forgotten. They will claim to recognize no master but an honest people, and to owe fealty to no principle but to administrative reform. They will proclaim a universal willingness to follow under the leadership of any Republican who speaks of honesty in fair phrases. They are willing to sit in the gates of power, no matter who is placed upon the throne. But when the trap is surely laid, and the victims are well in it, they will nominate their own ticket as usual, and hope to come to power by the aid of the breach in the Republican Party.

Even if Mr. SUMNER should pronounce himself in favor of the Cincinnati movement, Secretary BOUTWELL did not believe he could carry away a thousand votes from the Republican ticket in his own State. Mr. SUMNER possesses the respect of the people of Massachusetts to such an extent that he might, perhaps, today be elected again to the United States Senate; but he cannot induce his constituents to betray the party to which they both belong. They might forgive him for his error; they could not participate in his folly. On the other hand, should the Democrats support a Republican nominee of the Cincinnati Convention, they would lose 5,000 votes in Massachusetts alone.

AMUSEMENTS.

Dramatic.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.

A respectable performance of BOUCICAULT'S "Old Heads and Young Hearts" was given by Mr. DALY'S company on Tuesday. Mr. G. H. GRIFFITHS made his first appearance here in the difficult part of *Jesse Rural*. Mr. GRIFFITHS is an artist of decided talent. He certainly did not efface the memory of Mr. BLAKE'S inimitable impersonation of the white-haired clergyman; but he commanded the respect of his audience from the beginning, and won largely upon their liking before the close. Mr. GRIFFITHS has a cultivated perception of both humor and pathos; and, barring some trifling exaggerations here and there, his embodiment is an enjoyable one. Miss FANNY DAVENPORT is ill-suited to high comedy. Parts of the soubrette type, or, at most, of what are known as "broad," in contradistinction to "genteel," comedy, are better within her reach. Her manner lacks culture and elegance for a rôle like *Lady Alice Hawthorne*, who may be a flirt, but is still a highly-bred lady. Neither Miss DAVENPORT'S facial expression nor her intonation are favorable to the illusion that they were formed in the society of "Almack's," and she lacks the airy grace and delicate whim with which such a woman displays her genius for coquetry. Miss DAVENPORT has, nevertheless, the excellent qualities of vivacity and feeling; her fine person wins the admiration of most of those who see it, and her acting of *Lady Alice* in some respects, and particularly toward the close of the piece, was well approved. We have seen few better *Littleton Cokes* than Mr. W. H. CRISP, who, if he continues to avail of his opportunities so cleverly as on this occasion, will become a favorite. There is a great dearth of light comedians, and Mr. CRISP bids fair to take good rank in that field. He is easy, fluent, almost unobjectionable in manner, comely in person, and well dressed. Mr. HARKINS gives us a satisfactory *Tom Coke*, although a little more geniality of bearing would improve it; and Mr. LEMOYNE, albeit his performance seems flavored with alternate reminiscences of Mr. PAUL BEDFORD and Mr. JOHN GILBERT, is a highly effective *Colonel Rocket*. In *Lord Charles Roebuck*, Mr. G. PARKES is, as usual, quite himself, and his clothes deserve the respect with which he evidently regards them. Mr. WHITING is very good as the *Earl of Pompion*, and so is Mrs. GILBERT as his *Countess*; and, to conclude, Mr. JAMES LEWIS is a most excellent *Bob*, being suited to the part in every particular. The comedy was well received, and would bear repetition.

Last evening "Fernande" was revived here for the benefit of Miss FANNY MORANT. There was a numerous attendance and the beneficiary was heartily received in a part, she acts exceedingly well. A new *Fernande* was seen in the person of Miss MARY CARY, the character originally played here by Miss AGNES ETHEL; and there were some other changes of the cast to which we may refer hereafter. Tonight, the old-fashioned comedy of "Wives as they were and Maids as they Are," is to be presented. Miss CLARA MORRIS will essay to typify the first class, and Miss KATE NEWTON the second; while Miss MORANT will act *Lady Mary Raffle* and Mr. GRIFFITHS will show us what he can do with the stately *Sir William Dorillon*. For to-morrow the "Provoked Husband" is announced.

THE FOUNDLING BENEFIT.

The benefit in aid of the New-York Foundling Asylum is given at the Theatre of the Union League Club to-night, the chief feature of the entertainment being the comedy of "All that Glitters is not Gold." We once more ask that it may be generously attended. The institution is in serious need of the money. The charity is a noble one, and those who cannot give large sums for such objects, may readily spare a couple of dollars for so worthy an object. Tickets are on sale at the Fifth-avenue Hotel, at No. 24 Clinton-place, and at the Union League Club.

Musical.

THE SEASON OF OPERA.

"Mignon" again attracted an overwhelming audience to the Academy of Music last evening. The opera was then represented for the last time this season. To-morrow "Amleto" will be produced. M. THOMAS' work will be recited with the modifications authorized by the composer, and precisely as it is performed at Covent Garden, in London. The six tableaux of "Amleto" will close, therefore, with the picture of the death of *Ophelia*. The principal characters will be assumed in accordance with the distribution of parts appended:

Ophelia	Mlle. Christina Nilsson
The Queen	Miss Annie Louise Cary
Laertes	Signor Brignoli
Hamlet	M. Barre
Horatio	Signor Reichardt
Claudius	M. Josef Jamet
Ghost	Signor Coletti
Marcellus	Signor Barili
Polonius	Signor Locatelli

ENGLISH OPERA.

Mme. PAREPA-ROSA, Mr. SANTLEY and the full English opera troupe, will be heard at the Brooklyn Academy to-night and on Saturday. This evening Mme. ROSA will appear in "The Bohemian Girl," and Saturday Mr. SANTLEY will figure in "Fra Diavolo."

A Brief and True Account of Carl Schurz.

From the New-York Herald, March 20.

As to SCHURZ, when he came into the Senate his clamors for office and patronage were so incessant that his colleagues felt he was exacting. Here is a man who has been in office ever since he began his English grammar, who has been honored far beyond his years and deserts, who never made a political speech for which he was not well paid, who used his nationality as an argument for his own advancement, who has settled in as many States as the most nomadic carpet-bagger in the South, who failed in the diplomatic service, in the army, as an editor and as a Senator, until he made a desperate effort at recognition by betraying the party which honored him, and becoming a malcontent. Is this the man to lead the party against GRANT? Are the American people to disown and overthrow the great soldier, whose genius gave our armies victory and whose name fills the world—whose administration has preserved the peace, strengthened the credit, given protection and justice to all classes, and managed affairs with honesty and economy—are the millions of brave soldiers who followed GRANT'S flag to victory, or even of the brave Southerners who surrendered to his valor only to find magnanimity and kindness—are the citizens of the country, in whose history the name of GRANT must live for ages, to seriously abandon him because Mr. SUMNER is angry, and Mr. GREELEY is dissatisfied, and Mr. TRUMBULL would like to be President, and Mr. SCHURZ has no more patronage, and to obey the mandates of a conclave of malcontents, whose only principle is office, and who have no grievance but what comes from their temper, their vanity or their disappointed ambition?

Balls Last Night.

The Forty-seventh Regiment held a promenade concert and soirée dansante at their armory, in Williamsburg, last evening. Besides the officers of the regiment, Gen. T. S. Daken, Col. F. A. Mason, Major W. H. Thompson, Capt. J. S. Colgate, Capt. Wm. H. Langley, Lieut. J. S. Lee, Gen. J. V. Meserole, Major Fisher, Capt. Evans, and Lieut. Van Master, were present. The guests were received by Col. D. E. AUSTEN, Lieut.-Col. ROGERS, and Major A. C. BUSH. The newly-organized band, consisting of thirty pieces played a succession of airs in a very accomplished manner during the first two hours. There was then an intermission for a fine supper, and afterward dancing followed, which lasted until far in the morning. There were more than 1,000 persons present.

The annual ball of the M. Cregan Association was held last evening, and was well attended. Capt. and Mrs. Cregan, E. E. Disney, Messrs. Foley, O'Brien, Little, &c., were present, and among the invited guests were Gen. Arthur and Postmaster Jones. The festivities were enjoyed by the assembled guests, and kept up to a late hour.

Arrival of the Steam-ship City of Paris.

The Inman steam-ship *City of Paris*, which left Liverpool on March 7, and Queenstown on March 8, reached this port last night. She brings advices fresher by five days than the news at hand by earlier mail-bearing vessels.

THE INVESTIGATIONS.

Mr. Robeson Explains Sales of Arms by His Department.

Another Schurz Mare's Nest Exploded—A Correction in Mr. Murphy's Evidence in the Custom-House Case—Will the Sun Make its Charges Good?

SALE OF ARMS.

Secretary Robeson Before the House Investigating Committee—Sales of Arms by the Navy Department.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The arms investigation today, on the Senate side, was unproductive of results. CHARLES J. MCGOWAN, chief clerk to Col. CRISPIN; DEWITT C. HALL, clerk in charge of delivery, and HUGH RILEY, laborer on the docks, who received arms delivered by the lighters, were all examined as to deliveries, but nothing new was elicited. It was proved that in delivering the arms in the cases of these sales, the same course was pursued as in the case of the large sales to the Turkish Government.

On motion of Mr. STEVENSON, it was ordered that a copy of that portion of the evidence relating to the construction of the statute about advertising be sent to Gen. SCHOFIELD at San Francisco, with a request to return an answer by telegraph, whether Gen. DYER'S evidence on that point was correct, he having testified that it was Gen. SCHOFIELD who first verbally placed such a construction upon the law. On the House side the arms investigation was resumed, and another of Mr. SCHURZ'S remarkable mare's nests was exploded. It will be remembered that a few days since some questions were addressed to Major CRISPIN as to whether he knew anything about the sale of 10,000 navy rifles to a Baltimore house. Today Secretary ROBESON and Commodore CASE appeared on the demand of the House Committee, and disposed of the matter in the straight-forward fashion given below.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20.—The House Committee on Expenditures in the War Department met this morning. Secretary ROBESON was sworn, and testified that early in the year 1871, the Navy Department made an arrangement with the War Department for the manufacture of 10,000 Remington rifles for the use of the navy. A Board of naval officers had been appointed for the trial of breech-loading arms, with the view of selecting the best for the naval service. The Board experimented with all the breech-loading arms, and selected REMINGTON'S as the best. After their report, the Navy Department contracted with the War Department for the manufacture of 10,000 arms for the navy. While the arms were in process of manufacture it was discovered there was a defect in the plan. He did not think the defect was a radical one, but the arms were not exactly what the navy wanted. The price the navy was to pay was to be ascertained by the cost after they were furnished—he thought between $14 and $15 apiece. The navy was to pay in addition $1 a rifle as royalty on REMINGTON'S patent. While the arms were being manufactured, and before they were delivered, Messrs. POULTNEY, TRIMBLE & Co., arms-dealers of Boston, applied to the Navy Board for the purchase of these arms, offering to pay a proper price for them. That firm gave enough for the 10,000 arms to enable the navy to purchase 12,000. These Remington arms were manufactured at the Springfield Armory. The contract was concluded March 21, 1871, when the Franco-German war was virtually over. The arms were not delivered until April. If he recollected correctly peace was concluded on the 26th of February, and the Germans entered Paris on the 1st of March. The navy made about $40,000 by the agreement with POULTNEY, TRIMBLE & Co. The inducement for making it was three-fold: First, to obtain 12,000 stand of arms for the same amount that 10,000 would cost; secondly, because the arms originally manufactured were not perfect; and third, because Gen. DYER desired to have the men at the Springfield Armory kept at work. The Navy Department had always sold everything not wanted when it could sell to advantage. The custom had been to sell surplus arms and supplies, and even ships, ever since the organization of the Government, under all Administrations, and at all times. Witness was informed some of these arms were sold in Turkey, Egypt and England.

Commodore CASE, Chief of the Ordnance Bureau of the Navy Department, being sworn, corroborated the statements of the Secretary of the Navy. The Board of Officers who selected the Remington arm were appointed in 1869, and reported in 1870; they met at St. Louis; the defect discovered in the arms was, the sight was nearer the breech block than desired; an inch and a half higher up the barrel gave a better sight; by the arrangement with POULTNEY, TRIMBLE & Co., the Navy Department made a net profit of $27,600, or 2,000 rifles; the arms sold to that firm were delivered at New-York and resold to parties in London.

The Chairman (Mr. WILLIAMS) asked: Have any agents of foreign Governments ever made any objection or protest against the sale of these arms?

Commodore CASE replied: I never heard of any such objection or protest ever having been made to the Department.

Mr. BARBER inquired whether witness had any knowledge or information as to whom POULTNEY & Co. expected to sell the arms to?

Witness replied: None whatever.

Mr. ACKER asked: Do you know of any person in the War or Navy Department personally interested in the sales?

Commodore CASE—I know nothing whatever.

The Committee desire to examine Gen. DYER, but cannot now do so, owing to his critical physical condition.

The Committee adjourned, subject to the call of the Chairman, and will make their report before the Senate Arms examination shall be concluded.

The French Arms Investigation as Seen in England.

The following paragraph, quoted in the London *Times*, gives an indication of the use which is likely to be made abroad of the attempt of CARL SCHURZ to prove that our Government was guilty of a breach of neutrality toward Germany during the Franco-Prussian war:

HOIST WITH HIS OWN PETARD.—To judge by a special Washington dispatch, published by the New-York *Tribune* of the 13th inst., no slight uneasiness prevails in consequence of Senator SUMNER'S resolution providing for a special committee to investigate the sale of arms to the French Government during the late Franco-German war. The French Government paid for arms to the United States 54,000,000 francs. This is equal to about $11,000,000 in gold, or, at the rate of exchange at the time and the premium on gold, about $14,000,000 in currency. The arms were purchased by agents of the French Government, who received two and a half per cent. commission for their part of the business. It will be the duty of the Committee, if it is appointed, to find out who got the $4,000,000 which stopped between the French Government and that of the United States. Another striking feature of this business is that it is proved that the American Government workshops were set to work to their fullest capacity to manufacture cartridges for the French Government while it was at war with Prussia. "This is," says the New-York *Tribune*, "probably the most serious charge in the whole preamble which accompanies the resolution, and it is the one on which there can be least doubt. Some of the most profound international lawyers in Washington are searching for a precedent for this act. They say the United States have committed a more flagrant violation of the Neutrality laws than any committed by England during the American war, and that the only parallel would have been the building of rams in the dockyards to assist the rebels." The gravest apprehensions are entertained as to what the course of the German Government may be toward the United States unless the charge can be explained.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

THE NEW-YORK CUSTOM-HOUSE.

Mr. Murphy Corrects His Testimony Before the Committee of Congress—George Bliss Explains How Greeley was Defeated.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Mr. GEORGE BLISS, Jr., was examined before the Custom-house Committee today. His testimony served to throw much light upon points about which there has been disagreement among witnesses, and also added not a little to the stock of facts touching the whole subject under investigation. Mr. BLISS took pains to put the *Tribune* on record, and when Messrs. CASSERLY and BAYARD were disposed to object, he said that the extracts which he submitted showed that at the time referred to Mr. GREELEY held the same views in regard to the subject of witness' testimony that witness held, and he submitted them to strengthen his own evidence. The extracts from the editorials of the *Tribune* were only read in part, but were made a part of the testimony, and present in pretty clear light the lively legerdemain of that supple journal. VAN CLEFT'S operations under the City Government in getting position and money after he had been turned out of Government employment, and MUDGETT denying under oath what the Courts decided was his signature to a note, received a few touches. JOHN DUKE, whose discharge from the Custom-house Mr. FENTON bemoaned in the Senate the other day, it appears immediately afterward obtained fodder from the City crib under Tammany. Mr. BLISS gave a fuller account of the attempt of BENNETT to defeat GREELEY in the Gridley organization than has been given before, as he was able to do from having set the play on the stage. In conducting the cross-examination on this point, Mr. BAYARD was aided by a statement by Mr. BENNETT, privately furnished. Mr. BLISS spoke of it as a brief. Mr. BAYARD was taken considerably aback when, having asked BLISS if he had a letter for BENNETT to sign and publish in the *Tribune*, he answered that he had forgotten that he had drafted such a letter, though he remembered it had been talked of, and BENNETT had given him the points, "but," said he, "if your brief says I wrote a letter, I should not deny it." Mr. BAYARD, seeing that concealment was useless, assumed the rôle of perfect frankness, and exhibited a copy of the draft, which BLISS read aloud, and said as soon as he had read the first few lines, that he remembered all about it. The letter created a great deal of amusement. An excellent point was brought out in this part of the examination. Messrs. CASSERLY and BAYARD have all along made a pretense of objecting to Mr. BLISS making any suggestions to the Republican members of the Committee to aid them in examining witnesses, but now it seems that the Democratic members themselves have been bullying witnesses with the unsworn written statements of irresponsible parties who have not dared to appear as their advisers. The examination of Mr. BLISS will be resumed to-morrow.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The New-York Investigating Committee met this afternoon. Ex-Collector MURPHY made a correction of previous testimony. He had stated that he had received a letter from Gen. PORTER about disagreements in the Republican General Committee. He now wished to say, on reflection, and after conversation with Gen. PORTER that PORTER never wrote such a letter. The letter came from the Secretary of the Treasury. In his reply to Senator CASSERLY, yesterday, he meant to say that a Republican who held political relations with TWEED was not fit to hold office. He did not wish to be understood as referring to merely personal or business relations. On being cross-examined by Senators BAYARD and CASSERLY, he said the letter from the Secretary of the Treasury was private, in which the writer inquired as to the names of certain persons in the Custom-house. The witness thought he furnished the required list. He saw Gen. PORTER last night at his hotel, in company with other gentlemen, and there spoke to him about having written the letter. Gen. PORTER said he never wrote such a letter. BLISS, who was one of the company, said he was certain the letter was written by Secretary BOUTWELL, for he had seen it. He was one of those who recommended Gen. ARTHUR to be his successor as Collector at the Port of New-York, and used his influence to obtain the favor of the appointing power.

Col. GEORGE BLISS, Jr., of New-York, being sworn, said in answer to a question by the Chairman that he came to the Custom-house the day HORACE GREELEY was being examined, and found him testifying to matters of which he knew nothing of his own knowledge; he knew Mr. GREELEY made incorrect statements, and he stayed there the entire day; many of his Republican friends whom he met asked the witness to attend the examination before the Committee; he assumed to represent members of the Republican Party, as he regarded this investigation as an attempt to make, in some measure, capital against the Administration which he supported, and as an attack on his personal friends, and therefore he did what he could to protect them by bringing out the truth. Witness gave a circumstantial statement of the causes of the trouble in the Republican Party in New-York, introducing the name of HORACE GREELEY in connection, and giving various names of Tammany Republicans who were rewarded with office under the municipal Government. He was also examined on other subjects. On cross-examination by Senator BAYARD, witness said he was subpœnaed at his own suggestion. He had suggested methods and lines of examination of witnesses before the Committee when it sat in New-York. He had prepared questions to be asked, and handed them to Senators HOWE and PRATT. He was acting in behalf of Republicans in and out of the Custom-house. He had been a member of the Bar for seventeen years. He was examined at length relative to his arrangements with JOHN BENNETT to secure the Gridley organization influence, and confirmed the statement of Mr. MURPHY as to the scheme for defeating HORACE GREELEY as delegate to the State Convention, and the giving of money to BENNETT in furtherance of the object.

The Committee adjourned until to-morrow at 1 o'clock.

THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

What the Investigation Committee May Do—Nothing Heard from the Sun.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Investigating Committee appointed to look into the charges against Secretary ROBESON will meet to-morrow morning, and will then determine whether the investigation shall be open or not. No word has been heard from the editor of the *Sun* by the Committee, whether he will be present or not, and notwithstanding the boasts in that sheet of today, the fact exists that one of its proprietors has been in Washington for two days past endeavoring to fix up a case, but without success thus far.

OFFICIAL CORRUPTION ABROAD.

M. De la Motte Acquitted—French Opinion on His Trial.

From la Presse, March 4.

The Rouen trial terminated yesterday, in the acquittal of M. JANVIER DE LA MOTTE. It is a signal satisfaction rendered to popular opinion, and a severe lesson inflicted on party passions. The Advocate-General, who maintained the accusation, energetically protested against the assumption that politics were in any way mixed up with this sad business. Such a confession was sincere enough on the part of the public prosecutor, but he could not change the nature of the facts. No; it was not justice only that provoked this deplorable trial. It was generated in the midst of the contaminated atmosphere of implacable hatred, of contemptible discords, of bitter selfishness, amid which passions become excited, and patriotism is corrupted, and which produces that social decomposition which, after all our failures and trials, still remains our great national weakness. This unpleasant business commenced in Switzerland about a year ago. That little country—great by its independence—refused at first to accord the extradition of M. JANVIER DE LA MOTTE. It was M. JULES FAVRE, then Minister of Foreign Affairs, who signed the warrant of the Keeper of the Seals. When Republican virtues, its severe equity and its austere morality were held up to the Helvetic Republic with such an example as that of M. JULES FAVRE, resistance was, of course, exceedingly difficult. The Swiss Government hesitated, and, after reflection, M. JANVIER DE LA MOTTE was surrendered, re-arrested, brought back to France, and incarcerated in the prison of Rouen, where he underwent a period of preventive imprisonment without precedent. Proceedings were then entered upon, and were conducted with but little regard for the prisoner. The evidence elicited during the trial shows that bills were posted on the walls in the Department of the Eure inviting depositions "against M. JANVIER DE LA MOTTE, Ex-Prefect of the Empire." This is not all, however. Nearly every day journals were found ready to outrage the prisoner, to excite public opinion against him, and to endeavor to influence the appreciation of the Judges. The trial commenced at length, when facts spoke for themselves in such a way as to render all comment superfluous. On the last day of the trial it became necessary to destroy the effect caused by the firm and loyal evidence of M. POUYER-QUERTIER, Minister of Finance, who proved the illegality of the document on which the whole case was founded! He demonstrated that the Minister of the Interior had issued an ordinance in open violation of all the recognized rules of State finance, and that M. JANVIER DE LA MOTTE, who was constituted a debtor to the State in a considerable sum, had received his full discharge from that supposed debt by the Court of Accounts. Such a revelation, made by an honest man, forgetting the reserve of a Minister in order to discharge the duties of a witness, was all-sufficient, and produced a striking effect. What followed? At the last moment a dispatch was forwarded to the President of the Court of Assizes—a dispatch which, after the case had terminated for the prisoner, was intended to furnish the President with matter for his résumé. What was the purport of this dispatch? It set forth that the Minister of Finance had deceived the jury, and that M. POUYER-QUERTIER himself had issued a warrant against M. JANVIER. Had it not been for the telegraphic wires and the inflexible loyalty of M. POUYER-QUERTIER, the communication to the President of the Assize Court might have ruined the prisoner. But M. POUYER-QUERTIER did not hesitate to inform the President by telegraphic dispatch that the jury was wrongly informed; that the information which had been communicated to him was not of the least value, and that it could not, in any way, affect what he said in evidence. Who was the author of this last expedient? It is necessary that we should know. Whoever it may be, he has engaged his responsibility in the gravest possible manner. If the charge has fallen to the ground the result is not alone attributable to the generous eloquence of M. LACHAUD, but also to the courageous loyalty of the Minister of Finance. After this he may be obliged to relinquish his portfolio; he will, however, be respected by all honest men.

THE TICHBORNE TRIAL.

Close of the Case—The Claimant Committed on a Charge of Perjury.

The news of the abrupt termination of the Tichborne suit has already appeared in these columns. Last night's mails supply details of the close of this remarkable trial. The *Daily News* of March 7 says: "Yesterday at 10 o'clock, an hour before the opening of the Court, there were crowds opposite and on either side of the private entrance, which could not have been fewer than 5,000 persons, and before noon that total was doubled. Individuals and small groups were almost beside themselves with eagerness. Every carriage that appeared in the distance was announced by shouts as the claimant's brougham. Vehicles were pounced upon, and many of the good folks quietly proceeding to Westminster-hall on other business were not a little astonished at being made the objects of such marked attention. Eventually the neat little closed brougham, which the best-informed of the bystanders knew to be the long-expected vehicle, was signalled, coachman and footman on the box, and the smartest of chestnuts in the shafts. For the first time the claimant to the Tichborne Baronetcy was hissed by the populace. Hitherto it had been the custom to applaud him, and if the applause was occasionally faint, it was still applause. He was cheered last week only, and apparently by the same kind of crowd as that which in larger bulk assembled yesterday morning. Since Monday, however, the man's luck had turned, and public favor with it turned to disfavor. The hissing was repeated when the brougham and its occupant—for the last time, we suspect—drove away from Westminster. The jurors soon after met together on the north walk of Palace-yard, on the self-same spot where on Monday during the luncheon interval they stood to decide upon the statement which has stopped the case. The excitement within the Court was equal to that without, only being more concentrated it was more noticeable. The ladies and gentlemen who felt the hustling in the Court of Queen's Bench would find it hard to do it justice in description. To the disappointment of the new visitors who were spectators for the first time, Mrs. RADCLIFFE could not be discovered. She was, in fact, absent through ill health, and unable to witness the triumph of a cause in which she has played such a painfully prominent part. The counsel for the defendant were all at their posts early, as if determined to be in at the death. Serjeant BALLANTINE came late and alone. A few minutes before Mr. SPOFFORTH had somehow got through the crowd, with Mr. BAIGENT in tow, and Mr. BAXTER, senior partner of the firm, bringing up the rear. For a while it was fine fun to the many to see ladies and barristers emerge from a struggling mass with robes disarranged, and to hear the comical exclamations of over-squeezed mankind.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

Upon the entrance of the Judge there was a gradual subsidence of the storm, until when the time arrived for the rising of Serjeant BALLANTINE there was a deep silence. The learned Serjeant spoke under an emotion that was not feigned, and with unusual seriousness and deliberation. The Attorney-General was not a mere flatterer when he described his learned friend's tone as temperate. The spectators maintained silence to the end of the Serjeant's speech, but no longer. The tension to which they had been subjected could be endured no longer, and there was a rustle as of a mighty wind, and a long murmur of relief. The departure of the jurymen to consult in private was well timed, because the order of their going was peculiar enough to divert attention from personal woes. Some ladies blocked up the way they should have gone, and some gentlemen blocked the passage along which the ladies might have retreated. The ladies being anxious, yet unable, to move, the jury disposed of the difficulty by clambering over the tall barrier. The drop on the other side being considerable, a few of the eleven lingered shivering on the brink. The spectators forgot their miseries in the distresses of others, and laughed aloud at the predicament of the jurors. The Captain of the Queen's Bodyguard managed the business with difficulty, and it was noticed that the naval gentleman who sat next the foreman took the fence like a hunter, eliciting the open approval of a Hampshire witness. The feat seemed to be accomplished at any rate safely. Sergt. BALLANTINE'S avowal thirty-five minutes later of what he had determined was received with a sudden movement among the defendants' supporters that would have developed into a derisive cheer, had not the calmest of them restrained their more impulsive friends. Mr. BAIGENT was welcomed with general tittering. He came up smiling, but it was the smile of one ill at ease. The Police helped him through the spectators into the box. Mr. BAIGENT left the box briskly, hardly sure for a moment or so that he was to leave it. Derisive laughter from feminine lips was heard when the Clerk of the Court, adhering to the legal form still kept up, called three times for Sir ROGER CHARLES DOUGHTY TICHBORNE, Baronet, to come forward and be nonsuited. Everybody knew there would be no answer to the summons, although all eyes were turned to the doorway, through which he could only have entered over the people's heads. The Judge at once therefore proceeded to read from a prepared paper the plaintiff's fate. Here again there was a difficulty in repressing the applause among the defendants' witnesses. What remained was very little heeded. The fiat had gone forth; it was felt that the case was at an end; telegraph forms were being passed from hand to hand across the Court, messengers were fighting their way out to be first to bear the tidings, and the premonitory symptoms of departure began to set in with severity. The mention of Mrs. RADCLIFFE'S name by the Judge brought an instantaneous hush; and loud cheers, which the officers of the Court did not attempt to suppress, rang out in sympathy with the Chief-Justice's remarks upon that lady. The foreman of the jury made his last remark, and the great trial was over."

ARREST OF THE CLAIMANT.

The *Times* says: "Immediately after the rising of the Court at Westminster Hall, Mr. Superintendent WILLIAMSON, the head of the Metropolitan Detective Police force, accompanied by Inspector CLARKE and two other officers, went to the Waterloo Hotel, in Jermyn-street, and there arrested the claimant, under the warrant of the Lord Chief-Justice of the Common Pleas. They found him in a sitting-room, which he has occupied there for some time, and he was joined after the arrival of the officers by one of the firm of solicitors by whom his case has been conducted and by a friend—a gentleman of some position. The Superintendent told him that it would be his duty to apprehend him on a charge of willful and corrupt perjury committed in the trial of the suit of 'Tichborne *vs.* Lushington,' at Westminster, and he read to him the warrant of the Lord Chief-Justice—a lengthy document—under which he was committed for trial on that charge at the next Sessions of the Central Criminal Court, and ordered to be detained in the Jail of Newgate, failing his entering into recognizances to the amount of £10,000. The claimant, who displayed considerable nonchalance, expressed his willingness to accompany the officers, adding that it might cause him some temporary inconvenience, and that it was hardly fair that the case should have been stopped at that juncture. He was then taken into custody. He and the Superintendent went to Newgate in the claimant's brougham, and the other detectives followed in a cab. There was very little stir either at the hotel or in the neighborhood, and it was not until the carriage reached Ludgate-hill, where it was stopped by the traffic, that the now well-known form of the claimant was recognized, and cries were raised of 'Sir Roger,' 'Arthur Orton,' and 'Wagga-Wagga,' causing considerable commotion. By the time the vehicle reached the entrance to the jail, which it did about 2 o'clock, a goodly crowd had assembled, and as the claimant and the Superintendent left the carriage a cheer was raised, which the former acknowledged in his accustomed manner. Inside the jail he was asked his name in the ordinary way, and he replied, 'ROGER CHARLES DOUGHTY TICHBORNE,' although upon the warrant he was described as THOMAS CASTRO, in which name he appears on the prison books. He was asked also in the usual form to give up anything he might have upon him, and he at once handed over a quantity of jewelry which he was wearing, including a handsome watch and chain, and snuff-box, all engraved with the TICHBORNE coat-of-arms. He also gave up £73 odd in money. He was then taken to one of the cells. The warrant, which is written on many sides of foolscap, upon which the Governor of Newgate (Mr. JONAS) detains him, states, among other things, that 'it appears, and does appear, to me, the said Lord Chief-Justice, that the said plaintiff was guilty of willful and corrupt perjury in his said examination and evidence upon oath, and that there was and is reasonable cause for directing him to be prosecuted,' and it empowers the Sheriffs of Middlesex to detain him in the jail of the county until the next Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, unless previously he enters into his recognizances in £5,000, and provides sureties for other £5,000, to appear and surrender at those Sessions, and not to depart the Court without its leave. The Sessions of the Criminal Court will commence on Monday, the 8th of April, and between this and then the formal indictment, specifying the various allegations of perjury upon which the prisoner will be tried, will be prepared."

Removal.
GROVER & BAKER SEWING-MACHINE CO. have removed to Nos. 786 and 788 Broadway, corner of Tenth-street.—*Advertisement.*

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MARRIED.

BUCK—TILLOU.—On Tuesday, March 19, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Franklin Babbitt, FRANCIS D. BUCK to CLARA TILLOU, daughter of Francis Tillou, Esq., all of this City.

DIED.

BERGEN.—On the 19th inst., after a short illness, Prof. J. F. BERGEN, aged 71 years.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral, on Thursday, the 21st inst., at 2½ o'clock P. M., from his late residence, No. 248 West 37th st., New-York. The remains will be taken to Jamaica, Long Island, for interment.

BUTLER.—At Paterson, N. J., on Tuesday, March 19, RHEES, infant son of Henry L. and Mary J. Butler, and grandson of the late Rev. Nicholas Murray, D. D.

BRADLEY.—Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 19, at 1½ P. M., MARY L., wife of Saulesbury L. Bradley, and eldest daughter of Samuel Love, of scarlatina, after confinement.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 44 West 56th-st., on Friday, March 22, at 1 P. M.

DE LA MONTAGNIE.—At Newark, N. J., on the 19th, EDWARD DE LA MONTAGNIE, in his 80th year.
Funeral services at his late residence, No 20 Centre-st., on Thursday, March 21, at 11 o'clock A. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment in Green-Wood Cemetery.

EARLE.—After a short illness, Mrs. HENRIETTA EARLE, aged 39 years.
The relatives and friends are affectionately invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. P. A. Whitfield, No. 61 7th-st., on Friday, the 22d inst., at 1 o'clock P. M.

GOMPERTS.—On Wednesday, March 20, MARY A., widow of the late Benj. Gomperts, in the 64th year of her age.
Funeral services to take place at her late residence, No. 111 West 23d-st., at 1 P. M., Friday, March 22. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.
☞ California and New-London papers please copy.

HAYTER.—At Harlem, on Wednesday, HANNAH E., widow of the late Rev. Richard Hayter, in the 71st year of her age.
Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her son, Samuel G. Hayter, No. 222 East 122d-st., at 2 P. M., on Friday.

IVES.—On the 27th day of February, 1872, at the residence of her son Henry, near Rochester, N. Y., Mrs. ELIZABETH IVES, in the 84th year of her age, mother of Henry C. Ives, of Rochester, and George R. Ives, of Great Barrington, Mass.

KELTY.—On Wednesday, March 20, FRANCIS HAGADORN, youngest son of Gibbons L. and Mary Kelty, in the 21st year of his age.
Funeral services will be held on Friday, the 22d inst., at 1 P. M., from the residence of his parents, No. 250 West 25th-st., between 7th and 8th avs.

KERR.—In Brooklyn, E. D., on Wednesday, March 20, ROBERT KERR, aged 45 years and 27 days.
Notice of funeral in to-morrow's paper.

LAW.—In Williamsburg, Long Island, March 19, 1872, of Bright's disease of the kidneys, HERVEY G. LAW, aged 48 years.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

LE GAL.—At 1 P. M., Wednesday, after a long illness, Col. EUGENE LE GAL, formerly commanding Fifty-fifth Regiment New-York State National Guard.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

MERRITT.—On Wednesday, March 20, after a short illness, MARGARET MERRITT, daughter of the late Michael Merritt.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, at 1 o'clock on Friday afternoon, from her late residence, No. 212 East 35th-st., without further invitation.

PAYNE.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday evening, 19th inst., HARRIET, daughter of Rebecca and the late John Payne.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from No. 272 Vanderbilt-av., near De Kalb-av., on Thursday, 21st inst., at 2½ o'clock P. M.

WELDON.—At East Orange, N. J., on Monday, March 18, Mrs. GEORGIANA WELDON, of New-York City, formerly of Newark, N. J.
Funeral services will be held at 3½ o'clock, on Thursday, March 21, at the residence of her grandson, Francis W. Jackson, Grove-st., near Central-av., East Orange, N. J. Trains (by Morris and Essex Railroad) leave New-York, foot of Barclay or Christopher sts., at 2½ o'clock P. M. Carriages will be waiting at East Orange Station.

WILCOMB.—At No. 27 West 27th-st., on Wednesday, March 20, ANITA, youngest daughter of the late John Wilcomb, formerly of Flushing, Long Island.
Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services, at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, 5th-av., north-east corner of 45th-st., on Friday, March 22, at 2 o'clock, without further notice.

TULLY.—On Tuesday, March 19, 1872, ELLEN R., wife of John T. Tully, aged 30 years.
The friends of the family and those of her father, John A. Duff, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 23 7th-av., and from thence to St. Joseph's Church, corner of 6th-av. and West Washington-place, where a solemn requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul.

WALSH.—On Tuesday, March 19, ELLEN WALSH, widow of the late Peter Walsh, aged 64 years.
Her relatives and friends and those of her sons, John J. and Edward F., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 324 East 5th-st., on Thursday morning, at 9½ o'clock, thence to the Church of the Nativity, 2d-av., between 2d and 3d sts., where a solemn high mass will be offered for the repose of her soul, and from thence to the Cemetery of the Holy Cross, Flatbush, for interment.

MISCELLANEOUS.

IMPORTANT ART SALE.
Mr. John Snedecor, the well-known dealer in fine art, No. 768 Broadway, contemplating visiting Europe shortly, has determined to sell by auction his entire collections of FINE MODERN PAINTINGS AND WATER-COLORS, embracing his best pictures, selected personally by himself last season while abroad, and a number of new paintings of high merit and value, just received and never offered for sale.
THESE FINE PICTURES WILL BE ON EXHIBITION, FREE, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, AND DAILY UNTIL THE DAY OF SALE, AT THE LEAVITT ART ROOMS, NO. 817 BROADWAY.
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The mails for Europe, during the week ending SATURDAY, March 23, 1872, will close at this office on WEDNESDAY at 11½ A. M., on THURSDAY at 11 A. M., and on SATURDAY at 11 A. M.
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POLITICAL.

TENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—Regular meeting of this Association will be held THIS (Thursday) EVENING, March 21, at 8 o'clock, at Concordia Hall, No. 28 Avenue A.
All Republicans are invited to enroll.
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., President.
WM. GLASER, Secretary.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The attendance at the Exchange, yesterday, March 20, was fair, and business as follows was transacted:

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, by order of the Supreme Court in partition, under the direction of JAMES H. COLEMAN, Esq., referee, sold seven lots together, forming a plot in size 100 by 175, with the buildings thereon, located on the north-west corner of First-avenue and Forty-fourth-street, for $64,500. The buildings on the premises consist of a well-built three-story brick store and dwelling, and another brick building of less value, fronting on the avenue, and a three-story brick brewery, with a frame building, fronting on the street. The entire property was sold in one parcel, and purchased by Mrs. MARY ROBINSON, one of the parties in interest. The price realized was considered low, and the referee so stated, but all the parties to the sale being present, either in person or by attorney, and consenting to the disposition of the realty at the figure named, it was sold as noted. In reference to one of the street lots, some doubt exists as to the title, and this fact probably affected the value of the plot.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., at an executor's sale, disposed of a property located on the north-east corner of Greenwich and Cedar streets, consisting of a plot of ground, having a front on the first-named street of 58.11 feet, and on the second of 34.4 feet, with four tenement-houses on the same, known as Nos. 139, 141 and 143 Greenwich-street, and No. 127 Cedar-street, together renting at the rate of $3,432 per annum. The property was sold for $30,250, and purchased by GEO. W. COTTRELL. The Supreme Court sale by the same firm, announced for yesterday, of a house and lot situate at the junction of New Chambers, Oak and Roosevelt streets, was adjourned until April 3.

MULLER, WILKINS & CO. concluded the business of the day with a stock sale, particulars in reference to which are given below. The advertised sale of a house and lot known as No. 54 West Forty-fifth-street, by the same auctioneers, did not take place as expected, the property having been withdrawn from the public market.

Today, at the Exchange, the great attraction will be the auction conducted by MULLER, WILKINS & CO, at which 289 lots located at Mott Haven, Westchester County, will be offered for sale. The eligible situation of this property, adjacent, as it is, to New-York, its many advantages, and its certain great prospective value, renders the proposed transaction one of moment, and the interest manifested by investors in the result, as already evinced, is considerable. Should it ever become necessary in the future, as is probable, to remove the Central Railroad Depot to the other side of the Harlem River, the termini of the roads now entering the present station would undoubtedly be on the very property to be offered for sale today. This fact should be borne in mind by capitalists in connection with the auction. In addition to this sale, JERE JOHNSON, Jr., will offer at auction an extensive lot of desirable Brooklyn and Williamsburg real estate—a very important transaction—while City real estate will be also offered by other auctioneers as follows: By M. A. J. LYNCH, house and lot on Lewis, near Grand-street; a dwelling and eight lots on One Hundred and Twentieth-street, near Avenue A, and a plot of ground containing five City lots, with water front, on One Hundred and Twentieth-street and the East River. By E. H. LUDLOW & Co., a desirable residence on Fourteenth-street, near Eighth-avenue, and a house and lot on Thirty-fourth-street, near Ninth-avenue. By ALLEN & BROWN, two houses and lots on the corner of Prince and Wooster streets, and a house and lot on Wooster near Prince-street, and by A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., a house and lot on Thirty-third-street, near Second-avenue.

STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

At the Stock sale, conducted by MULLER, WILKINS & CO., at the Exchange, yesterday, the following securities were sold at the prices noted: $5,000 Second-avenue Railroad Company second mortgage bonds, due 1st August, 1876, interest February and August, $1,000 each, sold at from 93½ to 94 ₱ cent.; $5,000 Mariposa Mining Company bonds, issued Oct. 2, 1865, and payable 1st October, 1875, with unpaid coupons attached since 1st October, 1867, $1,000 each, sold at $55 for lot; $500 interest scrip Mariposa Mining Company, sold at $28 for lot; 50 shares La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad, par $100 each, sold at $2 for lot; 26 shares Metropolitan Gas-Light Company, par $100 each, sold at 145 ₱ cent.; $1,040 Metropolitan Gas-light Company scrip stock, at 108 ₱ cent.; 5 shares Metropolitan Gas-light Company, par $100 each, at 146½ ₱ cent.; $200 Metropolitan Gas-light Company scrip stock, at 106½ ₱ cent.; 200 shares Citizens' Gas-light Company of Brooklyn, par $40 each, at 215¼ ₱ cent.; and 100 shares People's Gas-light Company of Brooklyn, par $10 each, sold at 94 ₱ cent.

Exchange Sales, Wednesday.

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FOR SALE—TO CLOSE AN ESTATE.—Three-story brick house, 40x45, built by day's work, without regard to expense, and containing all the modern improvements; with two-story brick stable, 26x40; ground, 50x200, very handsomely laid out, with fountain, shrubbery and a great variety of fruit. Situated on Washington-av., between Greene and Lafayette avs. Would exchange for smaller house well located in Brooklyn. For full particulars apply to LEVI COOK, No. 50 Wall-st.

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The late residence of C. W. Whitney, Esq., situated on Chatterton's Hill, about one-quarter mile from the White Plains Depot, overlooking the entire village and surrounding country for miles.

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FOR SALE—A COUNTRY-SEAT ON THE Harlem Railroad at Amenia, N. Y., together with a highly cultivated farm of about 520 acres; large mansion of modern style, watered from living springs on back, high ground; dwelling has baths, water closets, &c., &c., and is about fifteen minutes' walk from depot; four dwellings, barns with a capacity for 300 tons of hay, and accommodations for 100 head of stock. The dwelling is 42x34, and an extension 42x26 feet, located in the midst of a beautiful lawn of about three acres; fruit, orchard, garden, fine old shades, &c., &c. All in all, there is hardly a superior place offered for sale. Price for the entirety $100,000; or the mansion, improvements and ten to twenty acres of land, $25,000. Terms will be made easy. For particulars apply to HOMER MORGAN, 2 Pine-st.

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The homestead has twenty acres of land; house is very commodious; is in fine order; the out-buildings are large, and the place is very desirable for a gentleman's residence, both Summer and Winter; the Portchester Railroad Depot will be within five minutes' walk of house, adding largely to its prospective value. It will be sold low or exchanged for a house in the City. Apply to HUGH N. CAMP, No. 106 Broadway.

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A FIRST-CLASS BRICK HOUSE FOR sale, at Tarrytown, within ten minutes' walk of the depot; has all the modern improvements, gas, water, heater, and all in fine order; elegant, wide piazza on all sides of the house; about one acre in lawn, with abundance of choice fruit, shade and ornamental trees; stable and carriage-house. This property is on high and very healthy ground, commanding magnificent views of the Hudson, and one of the most desirable residences of its size in this choice location; immediate possession will be given; price $25,000, and terms easy. Apply at the office of the Phœnix Plaster Mills, No. 426 West 13th-st.

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TARRYTOWN, ON THE HUDSON.—For sale, one of the most desirable residences on the river; about two acres in lawn; house modern; 15 rooms, with all the improvements; gas, hot and cold water, bath and stationary tubs, furnace, &c.; stable and carriage-houses; ten minutes' walk from depot; magnificent river view; furniture, if desired; immediate possession; will be sold at a bargain. Address R. A. B., Post-office Box 1,619 New-York.

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THESE EXTRA CHOICE AND VERY VALUABLE FULL-FRONT LOTS, command a splendid and uninterrupted VIEW OF THE HUDSON. They are ready at once to improve and will be sold SEPARATELY, on liberal terms. Maps ready.
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REAL ESTATE AT PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SALE.
THURSDAY, March 21,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway.
EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE EIGHTH WARD PROPERTY, NORTH-WEST CORNER OF PRINCE AND WOOSTER STS., AND WOOSTER-ST., BETWEEN PRINCE AND HOUSTON STS., BY ORDER OF JOHN E. MILLER, ESQ., EXECUTOR OF JAMES DUSENBURY, DECEASED.

PRINCE-STREET, (north-west corner of Wooster-st.)—Three-story store and dwelling (brick); size of building, 20x71.3; lot, 20x71.3.

PRINCE-STREET.—Two-story attic and basement brick house and lot; size of house, 20x45; lot, 20x71.3, adjoining the above.

WOOSTER-STREET.—Three-story and cellar brick store and dwelling-house and lot, No. 141 Wooster-st.; size of house, 23x30; lot, 25x100.

Maps and particulars at the office of the auctioneers. No. 96 Broadway.

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BY M. A. J. LYNCH, NO. 72 CEDAR-ST.—REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, BONDS, &c., at public and private sale.
Personal attention given to sales of furniture.
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at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,
the valuable water front on the north side of 120th-st. and East River, comprising over five City lots.
ALSO,
four valuable lots on north side of 120th-st., 391.8½ feet east of Avenue A, each lot 25x100.
ALSO,
a splendid double house, with four lots, situated on the north side of 120th-st., distant 291.8½ feet east of Avenue A; the house has all the modern improvements, built in the best manner, and first-class in every particular.
ALSO,
three-story and basement brick house, No. 4 Lewis-st., between Grand and Broome sts., size 20x40.
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MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
FIRST-CLASS DWELLINGS ON WEST 14TH AND 34TH STS.
E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, March 21, 1872, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity Building,) New-York.

WEST FOURTEENTH-STREET.—The very desirable four-story and basement brown-stone English-basement house and lot, No. 238 West 14th-st: house 25x60 feet, more or less, with party-walls; contains all the conveniences; possession May 1, 1872; lot 25x103.3.

WEST THIRTY-FOURTH-STREET.—The desirable three-story and basement brick high-stoop house and lot, No. 440 West 34th-st., south side, near 9th-av; house 20x45 feet, with party-walls, and contains conveniences; lot 20x98.9; possession May 1, 1872.

A large portion of the purchase money may remain on bond and mortgage.

For maps and permits apply at the auctioneers' office, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

J. COLE, Auctioneer.
ABSOLUTE SALE BY ORDER OF THE executors of the estate of EDWARD SLOSSON deceased, on TUESDAY, March 26, at 12 M., at the Commercial Exchange, No. 389 Fulton-st., opposite the City Hall, Brooklyn, the following property;

BROADWAY.—Three lots near De Kalb-av.

DE KALB-AVENUE.—Ten lots near Broadway and Reed-av.

REED-AVENUE.—Four lots corner of Kosciusko-st.

KOSCIUSKO-STREET.—Ten lots near Broadway and Reed-av.

LAFAYETTE-AVENUE.—Fourteen lots on Reed-av.

Sale positive to the highest bidder. This property is in the immediate vicinity of good improvements, and on some of the principal thoroughfares and on two lines of city rail cars to all the ferries.

TERMS.—Seventy-five per cent. may remain on Mortgage. Maps and full particulars at the offices of Messrs. Slosson, Hutchens & Platt, proctors, No. 40 Wall-st., New-York, where a full abstract of title may be seen. Maps at the office of the auctioneer.

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Auctioneer.
SUPREME COURT SALE—IN PARTITION, Of valuable Broadway property.
JOSEPH McGUIRE
will sell at auction,
On WEDNESDAY, March 27, 1872, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Exchange Sales-rooms, No. 111 Broadway, under direction of Gratz Nathan, Esq., Referee, the valuable six-story and cellar brick building, No. 174 Broadway, corner Maiden-lane, building covering the lot; this is one of the finest corners in the City of New-York. Rental of premises about $24,000 per annum.
Maps, with full particulars, at the auctioneer's office, No. 87 Cedar-st., corner Broadway.

J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.
DOCK PROPERTY.
Remember, JERE. JOHNSON, JR., will sell THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-room, one of the most valuable pieces of dock property in the City of Brooklyn, splendidly located on the corner of Gowanus canal and Douglas-st., in the heart of the city. The sale is well worthy the attention of capitalists, lumber, lime, wood and brick dealers, hay merchants and manufacturers. For maps, &c., apply to JERE. JOHNSON, JR., successor to Johnson & Miller, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

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289 LOTS OF MOST VALUABLE
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BUSINESS PROPERTY,
known as the
MOTT HAVEN CANAL DOCKS,
situated in
MOTT HAVEN, WESTCHESTER COUNTY,
between 3d and 4th avs., beginning at 135th-st. and the Harlem River, and extending to 148th-st.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO.,
will sell at auction on
THURSDAY, MARCH 21,
At 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway.

About 289 lots at Mott Haven, Westchester County, N. Y., lying between the Harlem River and 146th-st. and 3d and 4th avs. This property is about five miles below the upper end of New-York City, and one mile from the Central Park. The Mott Haven Canal Docks on the property, particularly adapt it for manufacturing purposes, coal, wood, lumber and brick-yards, the Canal affording ample water communication for vessels, barges, &c., and the New-York and Harlem, Hudson River, New-York Central and the New-York and New-Haven Railroads passing directly along the Docks, afford railroad facilities to all parts of the United States and Canadas.

As an investment, or for speculative purposes, this property is most desirable, being almost on a line with 3d-av., New-York, and within 300 feet of the 3d-av. of Westchester County.

Maps and pamphlets, with full particulars, can be had at the office of the auctioneers, No. 7 Pine-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
RECEIVERS' SALE.—THE UNDERsigned, Receiver of the Eighth National Bank, will sell at public auction, by ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., auctioneers, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on SATURDAY, the 30th day of March, 1872, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following described property, namely: The leasehold premises, No. 650 Broadway, occupied for banking-house and other purposes; lot about 29 by 130 feet, with privilege of an alley-way in the rear, lease from Hon. Hamilton Fish running until 1885; rent $6,200 until 1879, and $6,500 until 1885, and then to be renewed for twenty-one years at six per cent. upon the appraised value of the premises, not being less than $6,500 per annum with taxes and assessments. For more full particulars reference is made to the lease, which may be seen on application to the auctioneers at their office, No. 7 Pine-st.

The plot of ground at the northeasterly corner of 56th-st. and Lexington-av., containing 100.5 feet on said avenue and 72 feet in depth, divided as five lots, and with two new brown-stone houses on the same.

The house and lot of ground on the easterly side of 4th-av., 62.2 feet north from 81st-st., being 20 feet in width by 80 feet in depth.
ALBON MAN, Receiver.
NEW-YORK, March 11, 1872.

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No. 25 Nassau-st., corner Cedar-st.
Real estate promptly sold and exchanged. Auction sales of stocks, furniture, merchandise, &c.
THURSDAY, MARCH 21,
At 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, New-York,
SPLENDID BROOKLYN DOCK PROPERTY ON GOWANUS CANAL,
ADMIRABLY ADAPTED FOR COAL, LUMBER, BRICK OR LIME YARDS.
Centrally situated, having a front of 100 feet on the canal, and 200 feet on Douglas-st., containing eight full city lots. This property will be positively sold on easy terms to the highest bidder.
Maps now ready at auctioneer's office.
Also, the same time and place:
GREAT MISCELLANEOUS SALE OF IMPROVED PROPERTY AND VACANT LOTS, BY ORDER OF A NON-RESIDENT LIVING IN HARTFORD, CONN.
VALUABLE VACANT LOTS ON UNION-AVENUE, NORTH SECOND AND NORTH SEVENTH STREETS, WILLIAMSBUG; CHOICE LOTS ON SIXTH-AVENUE, FIFTIETH AND FIFTY-FIRST STREETS, BROOKLYN; ALSO, DWELLINGS AND TENEMENTS ON UNION-STREET, FOURTH-AVENUE AND CHESTNUT-STREET.

NO. 15 UNION-STREET—North side, between Hamilton-av. and Van Brunt-st., four-story store and dwelling.

NOS. 72, 76 AND 78 CHESTNUT-STREET—Between Central and Evergreen avs., three two-story and attic frame houses, each containing eleven rooms.

NO. 683 FOURTH-ANENUE—Two-story and basement frame house.

VACANT LOTS.

SIXTH-AVENUE—East side, 50.2 feet north of 51st-st., one lot.

FIFTIETH-STREET—South side, 250 feet east of 6th-av., one lot.

FIFTY-FIRST-STREET—Rear of above, one lot.

FIFTIETH-STREET—South side, 250 feet east of 5th-av., one lot.

FIFTY-FIRST-STREET—North side, 525 feet east of 5th-av., one lot.

WILLIAMSBURG LOTS.

UNION-AVENUE—West side, commencing at junction with North 8th-st., three lots.

NORTH SEVENTH-STREET—South-west side, commencing at junction of North 2d-st., thence north-west, twenty lots.

NORTH SECOND-STREET—North side, commencing at junction of North 7th-st., thence east, six lots.

For maps of above property apply to JEREMIAH JOHNSON, Jr., No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York, and No. 200 Montague-st., Brooklyn.

ALSO, AT SAME TIME AND PLACE,
VALUABLE DWELLING ON PACIFIC-ST.
NO. 176 PACIFIC-STREET—Near Court-st., two-story attic and basement and subcellar brick house, with a large two-story extension, main house 25x42, extension 25x15, lot 25x100 feet, substantially built; all improvements; good location for a boarding-house, being convenient to City Hall, Court-house and ferries. Terms easy; maps of auctioneer.
TUESDAY, March 26,
At 12 o'clock at Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE
SPLENDID NEW-YORK BUSINESS PROPERTY
Nos. 247 and 249 Water-st., near Peck-slip,
By order of Loftus Wood, Esq.
NOS. 247 and 249 WATER-STREET—Commencing 23 feet 6 inches from Peck-slip, a substantially built four-story brick building, covering the entire front of the two lots, and about 45 feet deep. Also, on the rear, a three-story building, the whole forming one, and giving a floor room of 37.6x72.8, less the walls, which inclose the plot. The floors are supported by heavy beams and girders, and are very desirable for heavy manufacturing or storage purposes. Possession May 1, 1872. Terms easy.
Also, at the same time and place,
BY ORDER OF EXECUTOR,
VALUABLE BRICK DWELLING, NO. 197 WEST 10TH-ST., NEW-YORK.
A two story attic and basement brick house, 25x34, with lot 25x95; also, on rear, a one story brick building 12 feet. The house contains twelve rooms, is in good order, has gas and gas-fixtures, water, sewer connection, &c., and a vault under the yard; alley-way to rear of the lot. Possession May 1, 1872; terms easy.
Also, at the same time and place,
VALUABLE PROPERTY, KNOWN AS NO. 82 CHERRY-ST.,
fronting on James-slip, a two story and attic house, 25 feet front, and nearly the entire lot built upon. Maps of all the above property at the office of JERE. JOHNSON, Jr., (Successor to Johnson & Miller,) auctioneer, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York.
also, at same time and place,
The valuable Brick Tenement-house
No. 428 SOUTH 5TH-ST., WILLIAMSBURG,
only one block from Broadway and Union-av.
A large and well-built Tenement-house, 24.6x46, lot 75 feet; house contains 24 rooms; has water on each floor, and will always command a good rent.
Terms easy. Maps as aforesaid.
TUESDAY, April 2,
at 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-room,
No. 111 Broadway, New-York,
Magnificent Brooklyn Property to be positively sold,
By order of Estate of JOHN H. FUNK, deceased,
Splendidly situated on
GRAND-AV. and CAMBRIDGE-PLACE, between FULTON and GATES AVS.,
consisting of
Mansion and 26 lots of ground in the most central locality in Brooklyn.
Full particulars hereafter.
TUESDAY, April —,
Great sale of Richmond Hill, Long Island, lots by order of Trustees, under direction of Messrs. Miller, Stoutenburgh & Peckham, Attorneys, No. 18 Wall-st., New-York. Particulars hereafter.

JOSEPH HEGEMAN & CO., Auctioneers.
REGULAR WEEKLY SALE, FRIDAY, March 22, at 10 A. M., at the Central Sales-rooms, Willoughby, corner Pearl, Brooklyn: Handsome parlor, chamber and dining-room furniture, bedding, china, glass and fancy goods, stoves, &c. At 3 P. M., fine pianos, parlor suites, pier mirrors, twelve sewing-machines, Wheeler & Wilson and other makers. Also, at 4 P. M., velvet, Brussels and ingrain carpets, &c.

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WANTED TO PURCHASE—A MODerate sized house in a good neighborhood, between Broadway and Lexington-av., and 23d and 42d sts.; parties having such a house to sell at a bargain, can find a cash customer by addressing GRAHAM, Box No. 586 Post-office.

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WANTED TO RENT—A THREE-STORY brick or stone front house, in good neighborhood, between 20th and 45th sts.; must have modern improvements and be in good repair. Address, stating lowest rent and giving full description, D. R. M., Box No. 140 *Times* Office.

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WANTED—A SALESMAN AND TRAVeler, thoroughly acquainted with the lamp and lantern trade, and able to influence it. Such a one, with satisfactory reference, may hear of a place by addressing A. B. C., Post-office, with real name. It will be useless for any others to apply.

WANTED—IN A DAILY NEWSPAPER office, a young man of good education, just from college, to act as reporter and general writer. Address Box No. 1,607 New-York Post-office.

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HARLEM.—TO LET—FURNISHED, with immediate possession, a very complete two-story high-basement brick house; nine rooms, all modern improvements, all the walls painted, gilded and finished in elegant style, and the house is furnished in the most complete order, and must be seen to be appreciated by any one wanting a good house; will be let only to a small family; location one of the best, near 5th-av.; steam-cars, boats, &c. S. B. KENYON, 3d-av., corner 121st-st.

FOUR STORY, BROWN STONE, HIGH stoop, 25 feet, handsomely furnished, between 5th and 6th avs., at a low price to a private family; four story, brown stone, furnished, near 34th-st., on Murray Hill, to let or lease; extra large house, near Union-square, furnished or unfurnished, to let or lease for a term of years. SLADE & STAFFORD, No. 23 Union-square.

FIFTH-AV., NEAR 34TH-ST.—To lease, furnished, from one to five years, (the owner being in Europe,) a first-class four-story superior-built and extra-sized brown-stone front house, fully and handsomely furnished, to a strictly first-class tenant. Apply to MULLER, WILKINS & CO., No. 7 Pine-st., who have the exclusive control of the property.

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TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURnished, brown-stone houses, upper and lower parts; $1,000 to $3,000; above 42d-st., west side. M. S. FRIEND, No. 704 7th-av.

TO LET — FURNISHED, FOUR-STORY, brown-stone; excellent neighborhood; possession 1st of April; $165 per month. Inquire after 11 o'clock at No. 443 West 34th-st.

TO RENT FURNISHED—NO. 28 WEST 33d-st., for one or three years from May 1, 1872. Address Box No. 530 New-York Post-office.

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TO LET—ON THE BANKS OF THE HUDson, 105th-st., Bloomingdale, a dwelling-house, with barn and stable, and plenty of land for a garden; a pleasant suburban residence near the grand Boulevard. Apply at No. 5 Beekman-st., Room 7, first floor. N. B.—The occupants will sell the furniture if desired.

TO LET—A THREE-STORY HIGH-STOOP dwelling-house, No. 131 East 52d-st., west of Lexington-av., with all the modern improvements; neighborhood first-class; house in perfect order; rent $1,200. Address J. O. BACHE, Box No. 2,303 Post-office, or after 6 P. M., No. 139 East 27th-st.

TO LET—TO A PRIVATE FAMILY ONLY, the five-story English-basement house, No. 43 West 19th-st. The house has every modern convenience, and is in first-rate condition. For permit to examine the house apply to E. C. LORD, No. 139 Greenwich-st.

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A.—NEAR 5TH-AV., 45TH-ST.—FOUR-story, new, modern, medium-sized, desirable dwelling to let low; also large and small houses on and adjoining 5th and Madison avs., at reasonable rentals. V. K. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

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TO LET—A BRICK COTTAGE ON WEST 24th-st., for a term of three or five years; rent, $1,000 a year. For particulars, apply to D. R. MORSE, No. 45 Fulton-st., New-York City.

TO LET—BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, NO. 21 Cranberry-st., small cottage premises, suitable for a small family only; good neighborhood; hours 2 to 4 P. M.; rent $450.

TO LET—HOUSE NO. 148 WEST 11TH-ST., between 6th and 7th avs. Apply at the Rhinelander Estate Office, No. 75 Barclay-st.

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Five very eligible and finely-lighted lofts can be had on the 1st of May, at the corner of Cortlandt and Washington sts., which are already provided with a twenty-horse boiler and engine, with shafting and steam heating-pipes; terms easy; an unusual opportunity. Apply to
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The entire suite, at present occupied by the New-Jersey Railroad and Transportation Company, and the Camden and Amboy Company, at No. 111 Liberty-st., from the 1st of May next, on favorable terms. Apply to S. T. RICHARDS, No. 75 William st.

TO LET—AT NO. 207 BROADWAY, SOUTH-west corner of Fulton-st., the elegant office now occupied by the North-western Life Insurance Company; one of the very best locations for banking, insurance, railroad, real estate, law offices, &c. Apply at No. 160 Fulton-st., Room No. 10, from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M.

NOS. 12, 14 AND 16 JOHN-ST.—TO let, two first-class stores, with basement and sub-cellar beneath, each in the new building erected on the above lots, suitable for insurance, banking, or business purposes. Inquire of WM. VENVILL, in above building.

STORE-HOUSES TO LET.—ONE OR all of the four arch-roofed three-story storehouses, about 25x60 feet, (old) Nos. 59 to 65, inclusive, Furman-st., near Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn. Apply to M. S. BEACH, No. 96 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn.

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TO LET—PART OF ARTHUR & CO.'S STAtionery store, No. 59 Liberty-st., near Nassau, with glass-cases and shelving if needed; store is large, and very desirably located.

TO LET—NEAR BROADWAY, STORE NO. 4 Great Jones-st., with large, well-lighted room on next floor; steam-power if required. Apply to NICOL, DAVIDSON & CO., No. 686 Broadway.

TO LET—FINE LARGE LIGHT STORE, with part of basement, No. 29 Beekman-st., between Nassau and William sts. Apply there or to
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TO LET—STORES ON PARK-PLACE, BEtween Greenwich and Washington sts., and No. 203 West-st., between Jay and Harrison sts. Apply at the Rhinelander Estate Office, No. 75 Barclay-st.

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TO LET—SPLENDID OFFICES AT NO. 245 Broadway, directly opposite City Hall Park. Apply to ORANGE JUDD & CO., No. 245 Broadway.

A LARGE STORE TO LET or SELL—on Murray-st. S. F. GOODING, 245 Broadway.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.
PURCHASING AND DISBURSING PAY-MASTER'S OFFICE, UNITED STATES NAVY, NO. 29 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, March 18, 1872.
Proposals, sealed and indorsed on envelope, "Bids for Supplies Advertised," will be received at this office, until 1 o'clock, the 23d inst., for the following supplies of the best quality, to be delivered, free of expense, at the Navy-yard, New-York, viz.:
BUREAU PROVISIONS AND CLOTHING.
700 barrels Beef.
700 barrels Pork.
25,000 pounds Dried Apples.
30,000 pounds Pickles.
Naval standard.
Bidders are referred to the officer in charge at the Navy-yard for samples and further information, and will state in their proposals the date within which they will complete deliveries, if awarded to them, which must not exceed ten days from date of order.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government, and to award each article or item separate, as may be most to its interest.
Responsible security required for the prompt and faithful delivery of supplies awarded within the time specified.
Blank forms will be furnished at this office, and bids opened at the hour above named, when parties interested are invited to be present.
J. O. BRADFORD,
Pay-director United States Navy.

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SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, in a private family, a situation as good cook; understands all kinds of nice cooking, dessert and pastry; would do the coarse washing of a small family; has good reference; country preferred. Address No. 52 Frankfort-st., second floor, for two days.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS LAUNDRESS or chamber-maid and laundress: excellent laundress; French fluting and all kinds of ladies' and gents' fine work in the best manner; or chamber-work and fine washing; country or City; good references. Call at No. 335 4th-av.

WANTED.—A DRESS-MAKER DESIRES A few more engagements by day or week; can cut and fit ladies' and children's dresses; operates on sewing-machines; understands all kinds of family sewing; no objections to the country. Call at No. 341 West 41st-st., basement.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-class cook, one who understands soups, meats, game and pastry, breakfast breads, and desserts of all kinds, English, French and American; best City reference from her last employer. Call at No. 38 West 13th-st.

WANTED—A COOK'S SITUATION BY AN English Protestant woman about thirty; very respectable; first class cook; meats, games, bone, lard, soups of all kinds, pastries, creams, jellies, side dishes; excellent baker; country or City; best testimonials. Apply at No. 335 4th-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant woman, a situation as thorough cook, or assist with washing, or do all the washing for a small family; understands cooking nicely; has good City references. Apply at No. 645 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS PROTESTant cook, a situation in a private family; understands her business thoroughly; will go a short distance into the country; best reference. Call for two days at No. 349 East 23d-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation as a good cook; no objection to do the plain washing; good City references can be given. Call for two days at the grocery-store, No. 62½ West Washington-place.

AN EDUCATED AND REFINED AMERIcan lady desires a position as housekeeper, either in City or country; is fond of children, and not afraid to work. Address Mrs. W., Box No. 1,271 Post-office, New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable girl as good cook and baker; no objection to the country; understands pastry, game, butter and soups; good reference. Call for two days at No. 396 2d-av., between 22d and 23d sts.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as first-class cook; understands all kinds of good cooking; is an excellent baker; City or country; City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av., first floor.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, a situation as first-class cook; can make all kinds nice soups, jellies, ice-cream, &c.; is a good baker; has good City references; no objection to the country. Apply at No. 645 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent young woman as good thorough cook; will assist in washing in a private family or do cooking in a boarding-house; best City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av., first floor.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, A SITUAtion in a respectable family as nursery governess; can do plain sewing and fancy work, and is willing to make herself useful. Call for two days at No. 354 East 20th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS REGULAR seamstress or lady's maid; understands cutting and fitting ladies' and children's dresses and all kinds of family sewing; operates on several machines. Call at No. 143 Madison-av., present employer's.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE FRENCH girl, who can speak German, a situation as lady's maid or to take charge of children; best City reference. Apply at No. 116 East 11th-st., between 3d and 4th avs.

WANTED—BY A NEAT YOUNG PROTESTant woman, a situation as lady's maid and seamstress; can cut and fit, dress hair, and is a thorough operator on Wheeler & Wilson machine; has the best City references. Apply at No. 645 6th-av.

WANTED—AT BOOKHAM'S, NO. 335 4TH-av., employers will find a large number of first-class servants, country or City, all English, Irish, French, German, Scotch, Americans, wanting situations, suited immediately.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG person as nurse or nursery governess; understands hair-dressing, and is a neat sewer; has four years' experience; $16 per month; references unexceptionable. Call at No. 241 West 33d-st.

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED monthly nurse, now disengaged, a few engagements; excellent references from physicians and former lady patrons. Call or address, all the week, NURSE, 742 7th-av., corner of 50th-st., second floor.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant cook, who thoroughly understands her business in all its branches; no washing done; country preferred; best references. Call at No. 109 West 15th-st., rear building, near 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A NEAT, active young woman as first-class waitress, or chamber-maid and waiting in a small private family; best City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av., first floor.

WANTED—A SITUTION BY A RESPECTable young woman as first-class cook; understands all kinds of cooking; is an excellent baker, in a private family; best City reference. Call at No. 292 7th-av., between 26th and 27th sts.; call for two days.

EMPLOYERS
CAN BE SUITED IMMEDIATELY WITH FIRST-RATE HELP FOR ANY CAPACITY AT WALKER'S, 138 6TH-AV., OVER DRUG-STORE.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant woman as waitress in a small private family; best of City reference given. Call at No. 239 7th-av., in lamp-store.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, a few gentlemen's washing; the best of reference. Call or address Mrs. CRAWLEY, No. 219 East 38th-st., top floor, front room.

DESIRABLE SERVANTS OF EVERY description will be found at A. PELTON & CO'S, No. 645 6th-av., near 37th-st. (formerly with Bedell, 4th-av.)

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS cook; willing and obliging; excellent City reference. Apply at No. 144 West 30th-st., front basement, between 6th and 7th avs.

COLORED SERVANTS—EVERY CAPACity at Titus' Agency, established 1858, No. 247 Thompson-st., corner of 4th-st., Washington-square. T. S. W. TITUS, Proprietor.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG American Protestant girl as governess to growing children; City or country; salary not so much of an object as a good home. Call at No. 138 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG SWEDISH WOman, a situation as chamber-maid and nurse or plain seamstress; is tidy and obliging; good references. Call at No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBER-maid and to do fine washing and ironing and assist in waiting; good reference. Call at No. 142 West 28th-st., second floor.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBER-maid and to take care of children; good references. Apply at No. 139 West 28th-st.

COLORED RELIEF—ROOM NO. 65 BIBLE House, furnishes colored help direct from Savannah, Charleston, and other points.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBER-maid and seamstress; an expert operator; excellent City reference. Apply at No. 453 West 19th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBER-maid and waitress in a small private family; best City reference. Apply at 127 West 19th-st., basement.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS waitress and chamber-maid; best City references. Call at No. 144 West 30th-st., front basement.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent young woman as laundress; best City reference. Call at No. 488 6th-av., Room No. 6.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG WOMAN, A SITuation as first-class cook; thoroughly understands cooking in all its branches; is fully capable of taking charge of a kitchen; best City reference. Call for two days at No. 146 East 43d-st., first floor.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, ABOUT fifteen years of age, a situation to take care of grown-up children, to assist in chamber-work or waiting, in small private family; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 252 West 41st-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS dinner cook in a hotel or restaurant by one who understands her business; best City references given. Call or address Mrs. F., No. 85 Marshal-st., Williamsburg.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant cook, who thoroughly understands her business in all its branches; country preferred; best references. Call at No. 109 West 15th st., rear building, near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A GERMAN GIRL, A SITUation to travel with a lady who is going to Europe or to take care of grown-up children; City reference. Address L. D., Box No. 128 *Times* Office, for two days.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT DRESS-maker, Episcopalian, a few more engagements by the day in first-class families; terms moderate. Call at No. 171 Waverley-place, between Charles and Perry sts.

WANTED—A SEAMSTRESS' SITUATION by an American Protestant; does all kinds of family sewing; can operate on the machine; would wait on young ladies or grown children. Can be seen at No 130 East 24th-st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG WOMAN A SITUation as cook, washer and ironer; is a good cook; has the best City reference. None but private families need apply at No. 217 East 28th-st., third floor, front room, over grocery store, between 2d and 3d avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent woman as first-class cook; understands all kinds of cooking; excellent bread and pastry baker; City or country; good City references. Call or address No. 154 West 28th-st., one flight up.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as good cook; willing to assist with the washing and ironing of a small family; has good reference from her last place. Call at 316 East 27th-st.

WANTED—BY A COLORED GIRL, WITH good City references, a situation as chamber-maid, in a first-class private family. Call at No. 541 6th-av., second floor.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, A situation as cook in a small private family; is a good baker, and can furnish the best references. Call at No. 111 West 15th-st.

WANTED—BY A GOOD GERMAN WOMAN, a situation to do general house-work; is a plain cook, a good washer and ironer. Apply at No. 127 Norfolk-st., of M. Hild.

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A FAMILY SAILING FOR EUROPE can procure the services of a superior child's nurse or lady's maid, speaking Italian and English, by calling on present employer, No. 19 Exchange-place, first floor.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—BY AN AMERICAN WIDOW lady of refinement and capability, a position to take full charge of a gentleman's house; unexceptionable references given, if required. Address Mrs. CLARKE, Box. 140 *Times* Office.

MALES.

WANTED—BY A FLORIST AND GARDENer, a situation; a young married Scotchman, Protestant; fifteen years' experience in this country; is an excellent propagator, and thoroughly acquainted with cold and hot graperies, hot-house, green-house, and laying out new grounds; also vegetable gardening; wife an excellent butter-maker and dairy woman, and would either cook, wait, or do general housekeeping; best of references given; good reference from last place; would either take charge of a gentleman's place, or florist's establishment. Address D. D., Box No. 204 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN, A SITUAtion as coachman and groom; is a good vegetable gardener; understands the care of horses thoroughly; also harness and carriages; is a good driver and of good habits; has six years' first-class recommendations; will be found obliging. Address G., Box No. 199 *Times* Office.

WANTED—AS GARDENER, A SITUATION by an Irishman thirty years of age; married; two children; has a thorough knowledge of all parts of his business; is not afraid of work, and has testimonials from his last employer of the most satisfactory character. Address E. MCK., care Peter Henderson & Co., No. 35 Cortlandt-st., New-York.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant man, married, (no incumbrance,) a situation as coachman and gardener, or gardener; will take whole charge of a gentleman's place; where there is a cottage-house on place; best reference given. Address R. A., care of Mr. James Reed, Yonkers Post-office.

WANTED—A SITUATION ON A FARM BY a married man. Protestant, with no incumbrance; is a good plowman; understands the care of horses perfectly; able and willing to make himself generally useful; can come well recommended. Address J. G., Box No. 203 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GERMAN practical gardener; is a single man; thoroughly understands his business in all its branches; green-house, hot and cold graperies, flower and vegetable garden; best references. Address H. H., gardener, Box No. 195 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS GARDENER by a Swede; is a first-class hand; understands greenhouse, graperies, flowers of every description, and is a good vegetable gardener; willing and not afraid of work; best of reference. Apply at No. 42 Court-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN, by a steady, reliable Englishman; is a good and careful hand with horses, &c.; can milk, and make himself useful on a gentleman's place; is willing and not afraid to work; best references. Address G. T., Box No. 199 *Times* Office.

WANTED—A GARDENER'S SITUATION by a Protestant married man who thoroughly understands the business in all its branches, green-house, graperies, laying out new grounds, &c.; best of references from former places. Address J. H., at seed-store, No. 876 Broadway.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE MARRIED couple (English) without incumbrance, situations; man as waiter; wife understands chamber-work, and is a good needle-woman; good reference; town or country. Address W. T., Henderson's, No. 390 3d-av.

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WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GERMAN, aged twenty-five years; has excellent reference from last employer; can make himself generally useful about a gentleman's place; can care horses, drive, work in garden, milk, &c. Call at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY A RESPECTAble man and wife, no children; have good references; man as farmer or useful man; wife to do housework; willing to work for moderate wages. Apply at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A VERY REspectable young Protestant man (English) as gardener; can give best of references from last employer; can train, trail, propagate, &c. Apply at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG Canadian as coachman and gardener; is willing to make himself generally useful; can refer to last employer in this City. Apply at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable young man as vegetable gardener; is willing to make himself generally useful. Apply at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-class coachman; has very best of City reference. Address No. 138 West 11th-st., corner 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-class waiter in a private family, who thoroughly understands his duties and has excellent City references. Address J. H., Box No. 41 Up-town *Times* Office, No. 54½ West 32d-st.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

AT A SPECIAL TERM OF THE SUPREME Court, held in the Court-house, in the City of Brooklyn, on the 5th day of March, 1872.—Present, Hon. Jasper W. Gilbert, Justice.—WALTER S. GRIFFITH against THE ATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—On reading and filing the petition of John D. Cocks, receiver in the above-entitled action, and it appearing to this Court to be necessary and proper that the prayer thereof be granted, now on motion of Barney, Butler & Parsons, attorneys for said receiver, it is hereby ordered and decreed that the said receiver have leave and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay a dividend of twenty (20) cents on the dollar of the debts of the said Atlantic Fire Insurance Company, which have been ascertained and adjusted, to those persons who have exhibited their claims as creditors of said Company, as prescribed in and by section 79, article 3, chapter 8, title 4, part 3 of the Revised Statutes. It is further ordered and decreed that a notice be published, in the manner hereinafter directed, requiring all the creditors of the said Atlantic Fire Insurance Company to exhibit their claims, and become parties to the above-entitled suit, within six months from the first publication of this order; and, in default thereof, that they be precluded from all benefit of the judgment and decree which shall be made therein, and from any distribution which shall be made under said judgment or decree. And it is further ordered that said notice and a copy of this order be published once a week for six months in the New-York Daily *Times*, a newspaper published in the City of New-York, and the Brooklyn Daily *Eagle*, a newspaper published in the City of Brooklyn. And it is further ordered that Clarence L. Burnet, a counselor of this Court, be and he is hereby appointed referee for the purposes of this order. That such publication be made under his direction, and that all such claims be exhibited to the said referee. That said referee do hear and determine all such claims as may be contested, and that said referee may report to this Court, from time to time, upon all or any matters referred to him. And that said receiver be at liberty to apply to this Court for such further directions from time to time as may be proper.
NOTICE to the Creditors of the Atlantic Fire Insurance Company.
To all whom it may concern.—New-York Supreme Court, Kings County.—Walter S. Griffith against The Atlantic Fire Insurance Company.—Notice is hereby given that an order, of which the foregoing is a copy, has been duly made in the above-entitled action, and that all creditors of said Atlantic Fire Insurance Company are required to exhibit their claims to the undersigned, at his office, No. 213 Montague-street, in the City of Brooklyn, and to comply with the terms of said order on or before the 25th day of September, 1872.—Dated Brooklyn, March 5, 1872.
CLARENCE L. BURNET, Referee.
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IN SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF Richmond.—GIBBONS L. KELTY, John B. Kelty, E. Omar Carrington, and James B. Ryer, Plaintiffs, against LEONARD LOVELAND, Margaret G. Loveland, his wife, Henrietta L. King, sole executrix of the last will and testament of N. Low, deceased, and Thomas Smith, defendants.—Summons—For relief.—To the defendant Henrietta L. King, sole executrix of the last will and testament of N. Low, deceased.—You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, of which a copy is herewith served upon you, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office No. 33 Park-row, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, March 1, 1872.
ALEX. OSTRANDER, Plaintiff's Attorney.
The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at Richmond, in said county, on the 6th day of March, 1872.
ALEX. OSTRANDER, Plaintiff's Attorney.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—ROBERT P. GETTY vs. THE YONKERS AND NEW-YORK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned receiver of the property and effects of the Yonkers and New-York Fire Insurance Company, is prepared, pursuant to an order of this Court made in this action, to make a dividend or distributive payment of forty (40) cents on the dollar of the debts of the said Yonkers and New-York Fire Insurance Company, payable on demand, to all of those creditors of the said Company who have exhibited their claims as creditors, and whose debts have been ascertained as follows: First—all the debts entitled to a preference under the laws of the United States; second—judgments actually obtained against such corporation to the extent of the value of the real estate on which they shall respectively be liens; and third—all other creditors of such corporation, in proportion to their respective demands, without giving any preference to debts due on specialties. Such payment will be made at the office of the receiver, No. 176 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on demand, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., of each day.
RICHARD L. FRANKLIN, Receiver.

SUPREME COURT—CITY AND COUNTY of New-York.—CHARLES ROBINSON, plaintiff, against S. DEXTER BRADFORD, defendant.—Summons for a money demand on contract.—(Com. not served.)—To the defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the Court-house in the City of New-York, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office, No. 79 Nassau-street, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, with interest from the 1st day of January, 1867, besides the costs of this action.—Dated New-York, March 11, 1872.
JAMES H. COLEMAN, Plaintiff's Attorney.
The complaint herein was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, on the 14th day of February, 1872.
JAMES H. COLEMAN, Plaintiff's Attorney.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—IN the matter of the Beekman Fire Insurance Company.—HORATIO GOMEZ against THE BEEKMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—In pursuance of an order of this Court, made and entered in the above-entitled action and proceeding, the undersigned, receiver of the Beekman Fire Insurance Company, the above named corporation hereby gives notice that he is prepared to pay to the creditors of said Company who have heretofore presented and exhibited their claims to him as such receiver, twenty per centum of the amounts, which upon an adjustment and liquidation of said several claims shall be found or ascertained to be due upon the same respectively. Such dividend will be paid on and after the 1st day of April, 1872, at the office of the undersigned, at No. 4 Warren-street, in the City of New-York.—Dated New-York, March 20, 1872.
FRANCIS M. BIXBY, Receiver.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—IN the matter of the BEEKMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—Horatio Gomez vs. the Beekman Fire Insurance Company.—In pursuance of an order of this Court, made and entered in the above entitled action and proceeding, bearing date the 19th day of March, 1872, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the Beekman Fire Insurance Company, the above-named corporation, that they are required to present the same in writing to me, the undersigned, the referee named in said order, at my office, at No. 152 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 23d day of September, 1872; and that in default of such claimants presenting their claims as aforesaid, they will be precluded from all benefit of the said action and proceeding and of any distribution of the assets of the said company which may be made therein.—Dated New-York, March 20, 1872.
HENRY WILDER ALLEN, Referee.

SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of MELCHIOR DUCKER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at the residence of John D. Ducker, No. 144 West 4th-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 2d day of August next.—Dated New-York, the 1st day of February, 1872.
MARGARET DUCKER, Executrix,
JOHN D. DUCKER,
BENJAMIN VAN RADEN, } Executors.
JOHN H. TIETJEN,
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DES MOINES VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.
There will be a meeting of the Land Grant Bondholders of the Des Moines Valley Railroad Company, purporting to be secured under deed of trust, dated Oct. 1, 1868, at No. 25 William-st., Room No. 9, City of New-York, on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1872, at 12 o'clock M., to adopt such measures in relation to their bonds as in their judgment will best promote their interest.
W. S. GILMAN, N. A. COWDREY, } Trustees.
NEW-YORK, March 1, 1872.

OFFICE OF THE SECOND-AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY, NEW-YORK, March 14, 1872.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Second-avenue Railroad Company for the election of directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year, will be held MONDAY, April 1, 1872, at No. 34 New-st. Poll opens at 12 o'clock M. and closes at 1 o'clock P. M.
The transfer-books will be closed March 20, and be reopened April 3.
HARVEY H. WOODS, Secretary.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON, Dec. 27, 1871.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons who may have claims against The Ocean National Bank of the City of New-York, N. Y., that they are called upon to present the same and to make legal proof thereof to THEODORE M. DAVIS, receiver, at the office of said bank, at the City of New-York.
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ST. LOUIS, ALTON AND TERRE HAUTE RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 12 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, March 18, 1872.
THE BONDHOLDERS AND PREferred stockholders of this Company having consented to an increase of Preferred Stock in conformity with the requirements of the deed of trust, such issue and distribution of the same will be made to the holders of Preferred Stock who are such on the closing of the transfer-books on the 25th March inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., pro rata, (equal to twenty-one per cent. on each share of $100,) in full of all claims for arrears.
The transfer-books of Preferred Stock will be closed on the 25th of March inst., at 3 P. M., and remain closed to the 20th of April next, inclusive.
By order, G. H. GURLEY, Assistant Secretary.

CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY, CHICAGO, March 18, 1872.
NOTICE TO STOCK AND BOND-HOLDERS.—The stockholders and voting bondholders of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said Company, for the election of three directors and transaction of such business as may be presented, will be held at the office of the Company in Chicago, Ills., on MONDAY, the 1st day of APRIL next, at 10 o'clock A. M.
The transfer-books will be closed on the 22d of March inst., and reopened for transfers on the 2d day of April next.
W. M. LARRABEE, Secretary.

A CERTIFICATE FOR SIXTY-THREE shares of the stock of the Paterson and Hudson Railroad Company, issued to John M. Woolsey, Theodore D. Woolsey and Wm. Sam. Johnson, trustees of the separate estate of Mrs. SARAH D. JOHNSON, having been lost, all persons are cautioned against negotiating the said lost certificate. C. F. JOHNSON, Substituted Trustee.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIrectors of the National Life Insurance Company, of New-York, will be held at the Company's office, No. 212 Broadway, on MONDAY, April 1, 1872, from 12 M. to 1 P. M.
J. A. MORTIMORE, Secretary.

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SIX PER CENT. INTEREST allowed on all sums.
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WALTER W. CONCKLIN, President.
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Six per Cent. interest allowed on all sums from $5 to $10,000. Money deposited NOW or on April 1 draws interest from April 1. Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAYS and WEDNESDAYS from 10 to 7.
ALFRED T. CONKLIN, President.
HENRY C. FISHER, Secretary.

ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK.
No. 185 Chatham-square and No. 62 New Bowery, New-York.
DEPOSITS made on or before APRIL 1 will date interest from that day.
Interest will be computed monthly on sums of One Dollar and upward.

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SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ON $5 to $5,000.
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Commencing on Monday, Nov. 13, 1871. Through Trains will leave from New Depot, 4th-av. and 42d-st.
8.00 A. M., Chicago and Montreal Express, with drawing-room cars through to Rochester and St. Albans.
10.30 A. M., Special Chicago Express, with drawing-room cars to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.
10.45 A. M., Northern and Western Express.
3.40 P. M., Special Troy Express, on Saturdays.
4.00 P. M., Montreal Express, with sleeping cars from New-York to St. Albans.
6.00 P. M., Express, with sleeping-cars for Watertown, Oswego and Canandaigua.
8.00 P. M., Pacific Express, with sleeping-cars for Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls; also, for Chicago via both L. S. and M. C. Railroads; and for St. Louis via Toledo, leaves on Sundays at 6 P. M.
11.00 P. M., Express, with sleeping-cars for Troy and Albany.
All local trains running north of Yonkers, leave from new depot. Yonkers Special Trains from 30th-st., west side, as heretofore.
C. H. KENDRICK, General Passenger Agent.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.
On and after MONDAY, Oct. 30, 1871, trains will leave James-slip as follows:
8:30 A. M. Greenport mail train.
10:30 A. M. Roslyn, Glen Cove, Locust Valley, Huntington and Northport, Pass trains.
3:00 P. M. Riverhead and Sag Harbor Express, (through to Greenport on Saturdays.)
4:00 P. M. Express trains for Roslyn, Glen Cove, Locust Valley, Huntington and Northport.
5:30 P. M. Northport way-train.
All trains connect at Branch for Hempstead.
Sunday trains for Huntington, Northport, Rosyln, Glen Cove and Locust Valley leave Hunter's Point at 9:30 A. M. and 6 P. M.

STEAMBOATS.

NORTH RIVER AND NEW-YORK STEAM-BOAT COMPANY.—Steamers ADELPHI and ALEXIS leave New-York, foot Harrison-st., daily, at 3 and 3½, for Carmansville, Englewood, Yonkers, Hastings, Dobbs Ferry, Irvington, Nyack, Sing Sing and Haverstraw. Excursion tickets and packages of twenty-five tickets at reduced rates. Nyack and Tarrytown Ferry runs to connect with Hudson River Railroad trains.

TO BRIDGEPORT AND ALL POINTS on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroad.—Fare, $1. Steamers leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon, Sundays excepted.

FOR NEW-HAVEN, HARTFORD, AND THE NORTH.—Steamers leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:15 and 11 P. M., connecting with road.

DIVIDENDS.

EIGHTH NATIONAL BANK.
A dividend of Twenty-five per Cent. will be paid to the creditors of the Eighth National Bank, at the office of the receiver, No. 3 Mercer-st., in the City of New-York, on and after the 27th of March inst.
H. R. HULBURD, Controller of Currency.

CHICAGO, DANVILLE & VINCENNES RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Semi-annual Interest on the first mortgage bonds of this Company, due April 1, 1872, will be paid in gold on and after that date at the Company's office, No. 38 Pine-st., New-York.
AMOS TENNEY, Treasurer.

No. 53 EXCHANGE-PLACE, March 16, 1872.
THE INTEREST DUE APRIL 1, proximo, on bonds of the Oregon and California Railroad Company, will be paid at our office on and after that date.
DREXEL, MORGAN & CO.

INSURANCE.

STUYVESANT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NO. 122 BOWERY AND NO. 200 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, March 15, 1872.
AT THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF this Company, held the 14th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:

S. P. PATTERSON,	
SAMUEL WILLETS,	JESSE A. MARSHALL,
ADAM W. SPIES,	WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
C. L. EVERITT,	TIMOTHY BRENNAN,
CHARLES J. DODGE,	SAMUEL WEEKS, JR.,
CLARKSON CROLIUS,	JAMES L. STEWART,
DENTON PEARSALL,	GEORGE CARLISLE,
HENRY SHIELDS,	NELSON SAMMIS,
B. W. FLOYD,	JOHN D. LAWSON,
A. STEWART BLACK,	WILLIAM R. SINEY,
D. HENNESSY,	R. R. STUYVESANT,
C. B. TIMPSON,	CHAS. L. STICKNEY,
AARON HARDMAN,	T. A. HOWE.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board, S. P. PATTERSON was re-elected President, and SAMUEL WILLETS, Vice-President, for the ensuing year.
GEO. B. RHOADS, Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY. NILSSON—HAMLET.
LAST TWO (2) NIGHTS OF MLLE. CHRISTINA NILSSON, AND THE STRAKOSCH ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY. TO-MORROW, (Friday,) March 22, and MONDAY, March 25, at 8 o'clock P. M.
Messrs. Maurice and Max Strakosch have the honor to announce that on the evenings of the above dates they will produce, for the first time in America, M. Ambroise Thomas' grand opera,
HAMLET,
IN FOUR ACTS AND SIX TABLEAUX,
with the following brilliant cast:
MLLE. CHRISTINA NILSSON, in her original creation of..........OPHELIA
MISS ANNIE LOUISE CARY..as..THE QUEEN
SIGNOR BRIGNOLI..........as......LAERTES
MONSIEUR A. BARRE..........as......HAMLET
SIGNOR REICHARDT..........as......HORATIO
MONSIEUR JOSEF JAMET..as { CLAUDIUS, King of Denmark
SIGNOR COLETTI..........as { The Ghost of the Deceased King.
SIGNOR BARILI..........as...MARCELLUS
SIGNOR LOCATELLI..........as.....POLONIUS
Lords, ladies, officers, pages, peasants, &c.
SCENE—Elsinore in Denmark.
MAX MARETZEK, Musical Director and Conductor
This work will be presented with the composer's authorized modifications, precisely as given at the Royal Italian Opera, Covent Garden, London, in four acts and six tableaux.
The six tableaux of the opera are as follows:
Tableau 1—Palace of the King of Denmark. Tableau 2—The Esplanade (known in the tragedy as the Platform scene.) Tableau 3—The Garden scene. Tableau 4—The Players. Tableau 5—Hamlet and the Queen. Tableau 6—The Willows (and death of Ophelia.)
Terminating with the beautiful picture suggested by those lines of Shakespeare,
"A willow grows aslant a brook
That shows his hoar leaves in the glassy stream."
SATURDAY, MARCH 23, AT 1½ P. M.,
GRAND NILSSON MATINEE,
ROBERTO IL DIAVOLO.
On SATURDAY, APRIL 6, at 1½ P. M.,
GRAND FAREWELL NILSSON MATINEE,
AT WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Ticket offices—The Academy; also, 701 and 114 Broadway. Steinway's pianos are used by this company.

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With entire new scenery.
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CHARLES REHMS..........Leader
AT THE ARMORY, 14TH-ST.,
ON SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 23, 1872.
TICKETS FIFTY CENTS.
For sale by Colfax & Overton, No. 234 Broadway; Roe Lockwood, No. 812 Broadway; Tates & Briggs, No. 854 Broadway, and members of the Regiment.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
GRAND ITALIAN OPERA COMBINATION, PAREPA-ROSA, WACHTEL, SANTLEY.
SPRING SEASON, COMMENCING APRIL 1.
Subscriptions received at the stage door of the Academy.

THE NINTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT of the NEW YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE FOR WOMEN will be held at Association Hall, THURSDAY EVENING, March 21, at 8 o'clock.

LOAN OFFICES.

NO. 1,191 BROADWAY, AT H. R. MELVILLE'S coral and jewelry store, cash advanced on diamonds, jewelry, watches, laces and shawls. Desk in rear of store, No. 1,191 Broadway, between 28th and 29th sts.

AT HYMAN'S, NO. 658 BROADWAY, CORNER OF BOND-ST.—Liberal advances made on diamonds and watches, silver-ware, &c., or will pay the highest market price for the same.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

COPARTNERSHIP.
The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of SHEPARD, LE BOUTILLIER & CO., for the importation of French clocks, bronzes, musical boxes and fancy goods, and will open in store No. 10 Maiden-lane on or about the 15th of May with an entirely new and choice stock of goods. Communications until May 1 addressed to the care Messrs. Colby & Johnson, No. 17 Maiden-lane.
JOHN E. SHEPARD,
THOMAS LE BOUTILLIER, JR.,
CHARLES E. BRIDE.
NEW-YORK, March 18, 1872.

DISSOLUTION.
The firm of ALEX. M. HAYS & CO. was dissolved Feb. 1, 1872, by limitation. ALEX. M. HAYS has assumed all liabilities, and is alone authorized to sign in liquidation. (Signed) ALEX. M. HAYS. JNO. E. SHEPARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the partnership between MORRIS ALTMAN, BENJAMIN ALTMAN and DAVID FRANKENBERG, doing business at Nos. 331 and 333 6th-av., in the City of New-York, under the firm name of ALTMAN BROS. & CO., was dissolved this day by mutual agreement, so far as relates to the said MORRIS ALTMAN, who retires from the firm. All debts due to the said partnership and those owing by them will be settled with and by the undersigned remaining partners, who will continue the business at the same place, under the firm name of "B. ALTMAN & CO."
B. ALTMAN,
D. FRANKENBERG.
NEW-YORK, March 18, 1872.

NOTICE.—THE COPARTNERSHIP HEREtofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of ALEX. M. HAYS & CO., expired by limitation on the 1st inst.
Mr. SHEPARD has withdrawn from the firm and transferred his interest therein to Mr. HAYS, who is alone authorized to sign in liquidation.
ALEX. M. HAYS.
JOHN E. SHEPARD.
Dated NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1872.
The business will be continued at the old stand, No. 23 Maiden-lane, by ALEX. M. HAYS & CO.

MR. GEORGE C. SCOFIELD RETIRES from our firm this day.
JAMES McCREERY & CO.
NEW-YORK, March 15, 1872.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO ANnounce that he has this day associated himself with his brother, Mr. C. H. SCOFIELD, under the style of SCOFIELD & CO., for the purpose of importing such goods as are specially adapted to the wants of religious societies.
GEORGE C. SCOFIELD.

AMUSEMENTS.

BOOTH'S THEATRE. BOOTH.
In consequence of Mr. Booth's annual engagement in Philadelphia, commencing on March 25, he will be compelled to withdraw for a few weeks. The management is, therefore, compelled to announce this as the
LAST WEEK
of the present engagement of Mr.
EDWIN BOOTH,
who will appear on
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY,
FRIDAY and SATURDAY,
as BERTUCCIO,
In Tom Taylor's Tragedy of
THE FOOL'S REVENGE.
LAST BOOTH MATINEE
On SATURDAY, at 1½ o'clock.
Mr. BOOTH.....as.....Sir EDWARD MORTIMER in THE IRON CHEST.
Box-book open six days in advance at the Theatre; also at Ditson's music-store, No. 711 Broadway.
On MONDAY NEXT, March 25,
Miss CARLOTTA LE CLERCQ,
as ROSALIND, in AS YOU LIKE IT.

BOOTH'S THEATRE. LE CLERCQ.
SPECIAL.—The management takes pleasure in announcing the engagement of the charming and accomplished artiste,
Miss CARLOTTA LE CLERCQ,
who will make her first appearance at this Theatre,
On MONDAY NEXT, March 25,
as ROSALIND,
In Shakespeare's brilliant comedy of
AS YOU LIKE IT.
Miss LE CLERCQ will be supported by Mr. F. C. BANGS, Mr. D. W. WALLER and the full resources of the company.
Box-book now open.

WALLACK'S.
EVERY EVENING UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, Mr. Lester Wallack's celebrated drama, in six tableaux,
THE VETERAN.
"The Veteran," as we predicted in anticipation of its production, has proved one of the most successful dramas ever brought out, even at Wallack's, splendid as is its roll of dramatic victories. It would be hard to speak too highly of the perfect smoothness and ease with which the piece now runs. Each character has been cast with admirable regard to the individual capacity and peculiarities of the player. We have already spoken at length in previous notices of the elegance of the setting and mounting, and can only repeat what we said then. The last tableaux is a chef d'oeuvre of startling incident and skillful blending of color and costume. "The Veteran" will, doubtless, run to the end of the season; but we recommend our readers to go there at once, as the piece will well bear seeing twice or thrice.—*Extract from New-York Herald.*
Box-book open from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Due notice will be given of the reappearance of Mr. Chas. Mathews, Mr. J. H. Stoddart, and Miss Plessy Mordaunt.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.
R. W. BUTLER..........MANAGER
NOW READY, THE GREAT BURLESQUE,
ERNANI;
OR, THE HORNS OF A DILEMMA.
Mr. GEORGE ATKINS, Miss MINNIE JACKSON, Miss ANNIE WOOD, Miss JENNIE KIMBALL, Miss S. A. FREEMAN, in the principal characters.
THE GREAT HERNANDEZ TROUPE
ANTONIO HERNANDEZ, YOUNG AMERICA, Mlle. IDA DE SOYER,
ARTHUR HERNANDEZ, J. LEONARD.
MUNROE, THE MARVEL,
in his Magic Changes and Popular Songs; making ten distinct changes in presence of the audience.
ALL THE FAVORITES STILL RETAINED.
MATINEES WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 2½.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
THURSDAY, March 21, Only time of
WIVES AS THEY WERE.
FRIDAY, March 22, (First time in many years.)
THE PROVOKED HUSBAND.
SATURDAY MATINEE, March 23,
THE PROVOKED HUSBAND, (Last time.)
SATURDAY EVENING, March 23,
LONDON ASSURANCE.
MONDAY, March 25,
FROU FROU!
Benefit of Mr. JAMES ROBERTS.
IN ACTIVE REHEARSAL,
AN EXTRAORDINARY PARISIAN SENSATION
Bearing the singular and significant title of
ARTICLE 47.

WOOD'S MUSEUM. WOOD'S.
DOUBLE ATTRACTIONS
TODAY AT 2 New Burlesque of LUNA; OR, THE BOY WHO CRIED FOR THE MOON, and A BULL IN A CHINA SHOP. | THIS EVENING AT 8. Moral Sensational Drama, WORKING MEN OF NEW-YORK. NEW SCENERY, Machinery and Effects.
On exhibition all day, "BARNUM'S CANNIBALS."

FRENCH COMEDY—BIJOU THEATRE.
THURSDAY EVENING, March 21, at 8.
PATRIOTIC PERFORMANCE. PATRIOTIC!
Patronized by the Committee for the
FRENCH NATIONAL SUBSCRIPTION,
in which the first-class artists will perform
LE CACHEMIRE VERT, comedy by Alex. Dumas.
VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT.
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Tickets at No. 21 East 16th-st., and No. 701 Broadway.

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Last week of the popular author and actor, ALBERT W. AIKEN, and the famous play of city life, THE WITCHES OF NEW-YORK. Orchestra, $1; circle, 75c.; balcony, 50c.; gallery, 25c.; matinée Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, 25c., 50c. and 75c.

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LECTURES.

UNIVERSITY OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.
FREE LECTURES,
at the University Chapel, Washington-square.
University Course by Prof. JOHN J. STEVENSON, Ph. D., on *American Geology*, on THURSDAY, 21st March, 1872, at 8 P. M.
Law Course by Hon. R. L. LARREMORE, on *Land Tenures and Titles*, on FRIDAY, 22d March, 1872, at 8 P. M.

DR. JOHN LORD.
AT ASSOCIATION HALL—WEDNESDAY.
QUEEN PHILIPPA AND CHIVALRY.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the EXTENSION OF LAFAYETTE-PLACE, southerly from Great Jones-street to Bleecker-street, in the City of New-York.—We, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit: First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified according to law, to Walter Roche, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau-street, (Room No. 24,) in the City of New-York, on or before the 1st day of March, 1872. Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with the maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report herein have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New-York, there to remain until the 4th day of April, 1872. Third—That the area embraced by the assessment aforesaid is as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in said City, bounded by, included and contained within the limits hereinafter described, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the southerly side of Howard-street, distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Broadway, and running thence northerly, and on a line running parallel to Broadway, and distant one hundred feet westerly therefrom, to a point on said line, distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly side of Broome-street; thence westerly on a line running parallel to Broome-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Mercer-street; thence northerly, on a line running parallel to Mercer-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly side of Houston-street; thence westerly, on a line running parallel to Houston-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Wooster-street; thence northerly, on a line running parallel to Wooster-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly side of Fourth-street; thence westerly, on a line running parallel to Fourth-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of South Fifth-avenue, formerly Laurens-street; thence north-westerly, on a line running parallel to said South Fifth avenue, to the southerly side of Waverley-place; thence northerly, on a line parallel to Fifth-avenue, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet northerly from the northerly side of Seventeenth-street; thence easterly, on a line running parallel to Seventeenth-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Third-avenue; thence southerly, and parallel to Third-avenue, to the southerly side of Fifth-street; thence south easterly, on a line running parallel to the Bowery, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet southerly from the southern side of Canal-street; thence westerly, parallel to Canal-street, to the centre line of Baxter-street; thence northerly, along Baxter-street, to the southerly side of Canal-street; thence north-westerly, on a line parallel to New Canal-street, to a point on said line, distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Elm-street; thence northerly, on a line parallel to Elm-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly side of Howard-street; thence westerly, on a line parallel to Howard-street, to a point on said line distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Broadway, and thence northerly, parallel to Broadway, to the point or place of beginning. Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the new Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on the 22d day of April, 1872, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.—Dated New-York, Jan. 25, 1872.
WALTER ROCHE,
GRATZ NATHAN,
WILLIAM STUART,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT AND AUDIT.—Public notice is hereby given, in conformity with section 2, chapter 9, of the Laws of New-York, enacted Jan. 30, 1872, that an adjourned public meeting of the Board of Apportionment and Audit of the City and County of New-York, will be held in the office of the Controller of the City of New-York, in the New-York County Court-house, THURSDAY AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, the 21st day of March, 1872.—Dated New-York, March 20, 1872.
RICHARD A. STORRS,
Clerk Board of Apportionment and Audit.

OUR JUDICIARY.

Continued Investigation of the Charges Against Judge Barnard.

Important Testimony Yesterday—J. T. Johnston, Ex-Mayor Havemeyer, Judge Fullerton, William A. Booth and Others on the Stand—Improper Language on the Bench.

The Judiciary Committee resumed their investigations of the charges against Judge BARNARD, yesterday, at 10 A. M. A large number of witnesses were examined.

A Subcommittee, consisting of Messrs. TILDEN, PLAMMER and HAYES, met at 6 P. M. to hear witnesses who had complaints to make regarding the management of the County Clerk's office. No witnesses, however, presented themselves. Witnesses were also expected to testify in relation to the abuses of the Registry office, but did not appear. The Committee again complained of the backwardness of people who had made complaints in the Press in testifying before an investigating committee, and intimated that they were unable to summon these persons before them, but would be ready again at 6 P. M. today to hear complaints in relation to the Registry and County Clerk's offices.

The first witness called was Mr. JOHN TAYLOR JOHNSTON, President of the New-Jersey Central Railroad. He stated that he was largely interested in all kinds of American securities; there was a feeling of great insecurity in the minds of the public, which was due not only to the alleged corruption of the Judiciary of this City, but also to the general lack of confidence which the people had in the administration of justice in this City; that the value of American securities was greatly depressed in Europe in consequence of this: when in Europe, two years ago, he found that New-York judicial corruption was a common theme among capitalists there, many of whom refused to invest their money in America in consequence.

Mr. JOHNSTON was then cross-examined as follows:

Q.—What, in your opinion, has given rise to the evil reputation of the New-York Judiciary? A.—It has arisen in a great measure from the free and honest criticisms of the Press of this City upon the official actions of the Supreme Court Judges, Messrs. BARNARD, CARDOZO and INGRAHAM, and more especially in regard to their action in the Erie Railroad litigation.

Q.—Do you not think the feeling of insecurity which you speak of arises from well-known defects in the code of procedure also? A.—In a measure, yes; and I think the law ought to have a radical change. It ought to prevent the appointment of receivers without proper safeguards.

Q.—Do you think that, if the Judges were all honest and incorruptible, the law, as it at present stands, could be administered without injury to the interests of a great number of our citizens? A.—It might be, and I think could be, but even with the most conscientious Justices, it is a dangerous power to place in the hands of a few men, without proper safeguards to restrain them, because, in the appointment of receivers, *ex-parte* statements are nearly always acted upon.

Mr. WILLIAM A. BOOTH was the next witness called. He testified to substantially the same facts as the first witness; but in cross-examination he said that he knew nothing of his own personal knowledge of the corruption of the Judiciary: he was so fortunate as to be able to say that during his whole business career he was never engaged in a lawsuit of any kind.

Ex-Mayor HAVEMEYER stated that he had twice been Mayor of this City, and had for a number of years taken an active part in public affairs; he knew that there was a very great want of public confidence in the Supreme Court Judges, BARNARD, CARDOZO and INGRAHAM; he had no personal knowledge of any corrupt transactions on their part, but spoke from general, and, indeed, universal report.

Mr. CURTIS, on behalf of Judge BARNARD, then cross-examined the witness as follows:

Q.—You are the Chairman of the Citizens' Committee of Seventy? A.—I am.

Q.—Did you not, in that capacity, make application to Judge BARNARD to grant an injunction against the actions of the corrupt Tammany Ring? A.—I did.

Q.—Did not Judge BARNARD grant such an injunction, and in such a manner as to completely tie up the hands of the municipal officials? A.—He did.

Q.—And was not this the first real blow dealt to the corruptions of the Tammany Ring? A.—It was one of the first active measures taken after the series of exposures published in the NEW-YORK TIMES.

By Mr. PARSONS :NQ.—Was there not, at the time of Judge BARNARD's granting this injunction, a strong public feeling and pressure brought to bear upon his action. A.—There certainly was a very strong feeling of honest indignation in the minds of the public; so deep-rooted and violent a feeling that no Judge in the United States would have attempted to act in opposition to it.

Mr. VAN VOLKENBURG, Superintendent of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad, was examined in relation to the seizure of that railroad by FISK and GOULD, and also about the appointment of COULTER and FISK as receivers by Judge BARNARD. Witness' testimony brought out nothing new, simply corroborating the evidence already given and published in the TIMES.

Mr. CHARLES TRACY was then recalled for the purpose of producing certain papers in relation to the Union Pacific Railroad.

Judge FULLERTON was examined at considerable length in relation to the sum which Mr. HORACE CLARK had stated the day before had been paid to him. Mr. FULLERTON stated that he had received the sum of $50,000 from Mr. BUSHNELL, a director of that railroad, in order to effect a compromise with JAMES FISK and GOULD, who had brought a suit against the Union Pacific; he had an interview with FISK in the presence of Mr. BELDEN, when he urged FISK to withdraw his suit in order that the credit of the Union Pacific might not be affected, and after considerable difficulty he prevailed upon FISK to accept $50,000, as hush money, to suspend the suit; FISK, for this consideration, promised to suspend the suit; FISK said at the time that he was proud of his position of Vice-President of the Erie Railroad, but that, were it known publicly that he had accepted the paltry sum of $50,000 to suspend the suit, he would be laughed at in the streets, and made Mr. FULLERTON promise that he would keep this arrangement a secret. Mr. FULLERTON said he made this promise, but thought now that circumstances permitted him to reveal the transaction, and since the Committee desired it, he would state that this $50,000 was paid over personally to JAMES FISK for this purpose. FISK thereupon suspended the suit for eight months, and the business of the Union Pacific Railroad went on as usual. At the end of this time the Union Pacific brought a suit against Erie, whereupon FISK, considering himself absolved from his promise revived his former suit against the Union Pacific.

In cross-examination, the witness said he had no understanding with the Company as to the specific use of the money, nor had he given them to understand that he intended using it to influence Judge BARNARD or any other Judge.

Mr. GEORGE HILL, a clerk in the office of Mr. JOHN DEVELIN, testified in relation to the injunction granted by Judge BARNARD, restraining one branch of the Tammany organization from using Tammany Hall. The witness was examined by Mr. PARSONS, to show that Judge BARNARD had no right to grant this injunction, being a member of Tammany himself, and therefore having a personal interest in the matter. The witness, in cross-examination, stated that Tammany was well known to be a purely benevolent institution, and that, in his opinion, Judge BARNARD was quite right in granting the injunction. The witness, upon re-examination, said that Judge BARRETT had subsequently dissolved the injunction upon the application of Mr. DOUGLAS TAYLOR.

Mr. JOSEPH F. RAMSEY testified in relation to the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad, but developed no new facts.

The next witness called was Mr. GEORGE E. MILES. The following is Mr. MILES' testimony:

Q.—What is your occupation, Mr. MILES? A.—I am a law reporter and stenographer.

Q.—For what paper do you report? A.—For the *Tribune*.

Q.—Will you be kind enough to read over the notes you took lately, while reporting in Judge BARNARD's Court? A.—Yes.

The witness then read a number of notes taken by him of the language used by the Judge that was totally irrelevant to the cases before him, and principally consisting of pointless jokes and witless sarcasms against members of his own profession. The following is a sample of the character of these remarks: An attorney made application in divorce for his client to obtain the charge of his children, to which the Judge said: "You must go to some other place to get your children." The attorney in reply said he thought he had come to the proper place, to which the Judge answered: "Oh, get out; we don't peddle children here."

The witness read further notes, and cited a case of impropriety of language used by Judge BARNARD when he released a prisoner from Ludlow-street Jail against the protest of counsel, who said that other Justices had decided that such action was illegal. BARNARD replied that he did not care "a continental if a thousand Justices had decided, he was going to have his own way." Further the witness stated that in a divorce suit, where one of the counsel was guilty of using filthy and obscene language in Court, Judge BARNARD refused to commit him for contempt, laughing at the remark, and evidently considering it to be a very good joke. The witness further stated that the Judge had, on numberless occasions, used highly indecorous language, such words as "liar" and "infernal fool" being part of his common judicial language.

Mr. MILES was then cross-examined.

Q.—Did you take these minutes as part of your ordinary professional business. A.—No; it was a special undertaking on my part.

Q.—Who employed you to perform this work? A.—Mr. STICKNEY, on behalf of the Bar Association.

Q.—You took these notes of Judge BARNARD's remarks for the purpose of furnishing evidence to the Bar Association? A.—I took them down because I was paid to do so.

Q.—Did you in the ordinary course of your business as a reporter take down such remarks as these? No, Sir.

Q.—Did Mr. STICKNEY pay you for this work? A.—Partly; he still owes me some money.

An angry discussion here arose between Mr. CURTIS and Mr. STICKNEY. Mr. CURTIS characterised MILES' action in strong terms, and Mr. STICKNEY replied that he held himself responsible for it.

This closed this witness' examination, and the Committee adjourned until 10 A. M. this day.

The Subcommittee on the Judiciary Investigating Committee visited the District-Attorney's office yesterday. They made no examination of documents or of the officers, merely walking through the offices, apparently preparatory to an official investigation.

A MONSTER RELIC.

Discovery of the Skeleton of a Mastodon in a Nearly Perfect State—Twenty-five Feet Long and Fourteen Feet High.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTISVILLE, Orange County, N. Y., Tuesday, March 19, 1872.

The farm of Mr. ANDREW MITCHELL, about one mile from this place, is, and has been for weeks, visited by very many people. The attraction is the huge and almost entire skeleton of a Mastodon, which has been found by piecemeal in a swamp on his land since January last, and which has been put together by a professor from Boston, Mass. The farm which has so suddenly become famous was purchased by Mr. MITCHELL some time since, and in January he hired a man to dig muck from a swamp to place on the uplands, he himself being engaged in New-York. The man had excavated to the depth of four feet when he came upon an enormous bone, shaped like a rib. He stopped work and informed Mr. MITCHELL of his discovery, who, thinking it must have belonged to some monstrous animal, directed that deeper and more extended digging be done. At a depth of fifteen feet the pelvis, head and other large bones were found. Search has been continued until almost the entire skeleton has been exhumed, and the scientific gentleman from Boston says it is much larger than the famous remains in the Boston Museum, which was also found in this county, and which was the largest known specimen of these extinct mammalia. The skeleton is in a barn on Mr. MITCHELL's farm, and no train stops at this station but brings numbers of curious or scientifically-inclined persons, on their way to view the monster. The upper jaw and main portion of the head weighs about five hundred pounds, and measures three feet seven inches across the top. There are four teeth in the upper jaw, two on each side. The back teeth extend seven inches along the jawbone, and are four inches across. The openings where the tusks have been are three feet and eight inches deep, and eight inches in circumference. The vertebræ was found in forty pieces, but lying all together, while the pelvis was taken out whole and uninjured. The channel where the spinal cord lay when the monster was alive is five inches in circumference. Among the missing bones are the tusks, the lower jawbone, and those of the hind legs. One bone of a leg that has been found weighs alone over 350 pounds. When the skeleton is reconstructed, it will measure fourteen feet from the bottom of its feet to the top of its head, and over twenty-five feet from head to tail.

Work is steadily prosecuted in the excavating in search of the missing bones. Great difficulty is met in the filling in of water, a pump of considerable capacity being steadily worked by horse power to keep the pit clear.

A singular incident connected with the skeleton is, that in its stomach was found a quantity of undigested matter. Among it were fresh-looking and very large leaves, of odd form, and blades of strange grass, of extreme length, varying from an inch to three inches in width, and looking as if freshly cropped from the earth. The spot where the remains were found is low, marshy ground.

Parties in New-York have already opened negotiations with Mr. MITCHELL for the purchase of the skeleton, and he has refused $1,500 for it.

The Case of the Stuyvesant Bank—Decision of Judge Blatchford.

In the United States District Court, yesterday, Judge BLATCHFORD rendered a decision in the case of the Stuyvesant Bank, on the motion made by Mr. DUDLEY FIELD, on Saturday last, to have Mr. O. H. P. ARCHER, the receiver of the Bank, made assignee thereof by order of the Court. Judge BLATCHFORD says that being of the opinion that the interests of the creditors of the bankrupt will not be promoted by the appointment of Mr. ARCHER as trustee, the motion to that effect is denied. One of the grounds on which the bank was adjudged a bankrupt was that, being insolvent, it procured its property to be taken on legal process, to defeat the operation of the Bankrupt act, and surrendered its property to a receiver, (Mr. ARCHER,) then appointed by the State Courts. The proceedings in bankruptcy were commenced on the 23d of December, 1871. If Mr. ARCHER is ever to account to this Court for what was the property of the bank, he must do so as it stood on that day. It must be administered as of that and from that day, under the direction of this Court. Mr. ARCHER must account for all his acts as receiver of the bank, and give a full statement of everything he has done in that capacity to the assignee appointed by this Court. It is not proper that he should, as trustee be plaintiff, and as receiver be defendant in respect to these matters. Nothing of which he is now in possession can pass from him as receiver, to an assignee, unless he voluntarily surrenders it, or is compelled to do so by legal proceedings. He announces that he will act as both receiver and assignee, if he is appointed to the latter position by this Court, and have his acts authorized by both the State Court and by the United States District Court. This is a position of incompatibility which this Court cannot permit one of its officers to occupy. If he is trustee under the Bankrupt act he must look to the Court that appoints him as the source of his authority. If he administers as receiver under State Court authority, he must look to those Courts independent of any others. The emphatic language of Judge WOODRUFF in the case of *in re* BININGER, shows how utterly impossible it is for this Court to allow Mr. ARCHER to occupy the different positions of receiver and assignee. Another objection to confirming the proceedings of the creditors in regard to a receiver, lies in the fact that they have selected a committee of three creditors to assist in managing the affairs of the bankrupt. One of these is Mr. BALL, President of the New-York Savings Bank, which institution is a creditor of the bankrupt, and claims, under the statutes of New-York, to be entitled to payment in full of its claims in priority to others. This claim of preference is contested by the unsecured creditors. Under these circumstances, it would be manifestly improper to allow Mr. BALL to be one of the committee of direction. The Register, to whom the case was referred, certifies that the first meeting of the creditors has been held, that no assignee was then elected, and that the Register had not yet appointed any assignee. The objections to the confirmation of Mr. ARCHER as trustee apply equally to the appointment of him as assignee, although three-fourths in value of the creditors whose claims were proved nominated him as trustee. The Court appoints JOHN H. PLATT as assignee of the bankrupt.

Personal.

Mr. CHARLES R. M. MOULTON, husband of Mrs. LILLIE MOULTON, who has sung in concerts during the past season, died at Cambridge, Mass., on Sunday, at the age of forty-three years. He had been in delicate health for some time, but his death was quite unexpected. It will be remembered that Mrs. MOULTON canceled her engagements once this season on account of his failing health, but it was thought he had temporarily recovered, and she began her concert tour again. This has now been abruptly ended.

C. Hayward, Esq., President of the Chicago and Southern Railroad; Gen. J. A. White, of Virginia; Capt. E. V. Ward, of Detroit, and Judge F. W. Hughes, of Pennsylvania, are at the Grand Central Hotel. J. H. Ramsey, of Albany; Judge W. F. Allen, of Albany, and Gen. Geo. A. Sheridan, of New-Orleans, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. T. M. Okubo, Associate Ambassador, with seven Japanese officers; Hon. J. H. Lathrop, of Washington, D. C.; Hon. C. Foster, M. C., of Ohio, and Senator Alex. McDonald, of Arkansas, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel. Hon. Wm. Ingham, of Little Falls, is at the Sturtevant House. Col. Chas. Goldsborough, of Maryland, and Dr. W. D. Sporl, of Rio Janeiro, are at the New-York Hotel. Hon. W. S. Kinyon, of Kingston; F. S. Laflin, State Prison Inspector, and Thos. C. Bates, of New-Orleans, are at the Metropolitan Hotel. Hon. Peter Bull, of St. Louis; Judge Goodledge, of Rome, N. Y., and Dr. Boughton, of Baltimore, are at Earle's Hotel. Ex-Congressman Roswell Hart, of Rochester, is at the Gilsey House. Hon. Wm. McMaster, of Toronto, and Major Wm. W. Corson, of Newburg, are at the St. James Hotel. Commander Gurdon, of the Royal Navy, is at the Brevoort House. Rear-Admiral Polo de Barnado, new Spanish Minister, is at the Clarendon Hotel. Judge G. T. Haves, of Pennsylvania, is at the St. Germain Hotel. Major A. Ellison, of New-Jersey, is at the St. Denis Hotel.

VIOLENT DEATHS.

Two More Suicides—Distressing Case of Accidental Hanging.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HANCOCK, Delaware County, N. Y., Tuesday, March 19, 1872.

The dead body of a man was found lying partially in a creek on the line of the Midland Railroad, near this place, on Friday. It was taken out of the water, when it was recognized as that of a laborer on the railroad, named DAVID MCCLEMEN. His throat was cut from ear to ear, and clutched in one of his hands was a large pocket-knife, rusted and stained with blood, which indicated that he had taken his own life. MCCLEMEN had been missing for some days, when last seen having left Hancock in an intoxicated condition. He was about sixty years of age.

Still another victim is to be added to the list of suicides that have occurred in such rapid succession in this valley during the past few days. A man named DREW, living at Nunda, N. Y., was found on Monday hanging in a barn, dead. Evidences of a fearful determination to die were visible in his case. He had adjusted the rope about his neck, and thrown it over a beam. Seizing the other end, he had drawn himself clear of the floor, and held on until death ensued, as he was found in that position. DREW was a man who had led a lonely life, and had been in poor health for some time past.

A most distressing case of accidental hanging occurred at Chester, N. Y., a few days since. A little girl, eight years old, daughter of Mr. JOHN MORRISON, went out to play in her father's barn. The main part of the barn is divided from the hay-mow by a partition of boards. The little girl's stay in the barn being protracted, her father went out to call her in the house. On entering the barn, he was horrified to see his daughter hanging by her neck from a small opening in the partition between the mow and the barn proper. She was taken down dead. It is supposed that she had climbed up on a board, and put her head through the hole to look after a hen's nest, when the board slipped from under her, and left her hanging, and, being unable to extricate herself, strangled to death.

Arrival of the Japanese—Soogiwarro's Opinion of America and the Press.

At the St. Nicholas Hotel last evening, arrived eight of our Japanese visitors, from Philadelphia, by the Washington express-train. The distinguished arrivals are Vice-Ambassador OKUBO, Japanese Minister of Finance, and TERMERI CORNNATZ, Secretary in the Foreign Department. These high officials are accompanied by Messrs. NAKA, YAMAIVOTO, OHARA, SOOGIWORRO, and Masters OKUBO and MAKINO. Minister OKUBO is not present in the City on any official business, he and his suite being simply traveling in a private character. Vice-Ambassador ITO is expected from Washington this morning. He will leave for San Francisco, probably this evening, together with Secretary COMATZ and Messrs. OKUBO and OHARA, en route for Japan, sailing by steamer from San Francisco April 1.

Masters OKUBO and MAKINO will be sent to Princeton College, New-Brunswick. The party, with the exception of those who are so soon to return to their home, will remain in New-York for some days. Mr. SOOGIWARRO will shortly rejoin the Embassy in Washington. Vice-Ambassador OKUBO is a man of about five feet nine inches in height, and of an impressively intelligent appearance.

All of the other adults are of medium stature and fine-looking men. The two lads are bright and observant. The whole party have discarded the loose and flowing robes of their own country.

Messrs. SOOGIRWARRO and OHARA speak English well. The former has an ardent desire that his own country and America may be closely united in interests, and entertains the hope that the treaty between the two nations will be concluded in about a month. Speaking of his travels in Europe, he said that that country to America was as China is to Japan, and he was of the opinion that Japan was a little ahead of China.

Mr. SOOGIWARRO also expressed the opinion that the Press of America was a moulder of public opinion, and altogether a great institution. He appeared to be familiar with the leading journals of the City, and especially with the TIMES, which he said had been instrumental in making a change for the better in the politics of New-York.

The Working Men's Union—Meeting at the Cooper Institute.

The meeting of the Working Men's Union at the Cooper Institute, last evening, was poorly attended. Mr. PETER DALY, the Chairman, stated the objects of the meeting, which were, he said, to press the passage of the bills now before the Legislature in the interest of the working men.

The Secretary read a series of recitals setting forth the grievances of the working men, which were dwelt on by the different speakers, and concluded by reading a resolution "that the workmen of the City of New-York denounce, condemn and disapprove the course of their representatives in both State and national Legislatures in so far as they pander to the wealthy and failed to legislate for the poor." The resolution was adopted.

Mr. O'FARRELL, of the Coopers' Union, said the ill-paid working man was spoken of as ignorant and debased. He reviewed the time he had at his disposal for self-culture or for the improvement of his children. Give him, he said, a fair share of freedom, and he will become better than his revilers. He spoke of the injustice of contracting convict labor to capitalists, and asked that the work should be thrown open to competition. Ship-building to which the speaker belonged, at one time employed 70,000 men, but now the Government having taxed the material, threw it into the hands of foreign competitors; and he charged them with being parties to this injustice to the American mechanic. The convict, after undergoing imprisonment for a crime against society, comes out a skilled workman, and is able to undersell the honest man—perhaps reduce him to poverty, drive him to crime, and ultimately to the prison.

Mr. GRIDLEY, of the Carpenters' Union, and others, followed in the same strain, after which the meeting adjourned.

Pigeon-Shooting at Jerome Park Yesterday.

At Jerome Park, yesterday, a number of the Jerome Park Gun Club assembled to contest the postponed handicap pigeon-shooting match for two silver cups, valued at $500 each. The entries were LAURENCE JEROME, JAMES GORDON BENNETT, HOWARD S. JAFFRAY, J. W. HULL, W. T. DOUGLASS, H. J. LEAVITT.

The first was a double-bird match, each contestant having to shoot at twenty birds, according to Jerome Park Gun Club rules. They were handicapped as follows: JEROME, 20 yards; BENNETT, 22 yards; JAFFRAY, 26 yards; HULL, 25; DOUGLASS, 22; LEAVITT, 22. Betting was $50 to $20 on the gun, and sometimes $25 to $10 on the bird.

The wind blew a gale, and the birds were carried out of bounds as soon as they left the trap, making it very difficult to kill them.

Mr. JEROME won, killing 12 birds, missed 8; HULL killed 7, missed 13; LEAVITT killed 6, missed 14; DOUGLASS killed 8, missed 12; BENNETT killed 9, missed 11; JAFFRAY killed 9, missed 11. The two latter having a tie, had to shoot off at three birds each. Both killed all their birds, and they agreed to shoot off for the entrance money at another time. The second was a single-bird match, $10 entrance fee. The same gentlemen were entered. They shot at twelve birds each. The match was won by Mr. JEROME, who killed eleven birds, only missing one.

Opening of the Mercantile Library Reading Rooms on Sunday.

In view of the recent public agitation of the question of opening the Mercantile Library Reading-room on Sundays, the directors have determined to obtain, as far as possible, a general expression of the opinion and feeling of the membership of the Association upon that matter. They have accordingly provided blanks for the signatures of those who are in favor of opening the reading-room on Sunday, and of those who are opposed to it, and they request the active members of the Association to append their signatures to these blanks as speedily as possible. The blanks may be found at the Superintendent's desk in the reading-room, at the cashier's desk in the library, and at the branch office, No. 76 Cedar-street.

Fire in a Dye-wood Mill—The Building Flooded and the Stock Almost Totally Destroyed.

About 5½ yesterday morning, the watchman of the New-York Dye-wood mills, situated at the corner of Green and West streets, Greenpoint, and owned by Messrs. JAMES L. HARVEY & Co., discovered a fire on the fourth story of the building. The fire apparatus on the premises was speedily set in operation, and the flames were extinguished before the arrival of the firemen, having only communicated to a wooden partition. The great quantity of water with which the upper floor was deluged, proved, however, almost as disastrous as the fire would have been, as it soaked and flowed through the whole building, and destroyed a large quantity of dye-woods, the stock of the concern, causing damage to the amount of about $20,000, on which there was an insurance of $7,000. The cause of the fire is unexplained.

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

Prof. J. C. ZACHOS will lecture this evening at No. 239 Fourth-avenue, on "Shakespeare."

A number of Italians met last evening and discussed the subject of erecting a statue to MAZZINI in Central Park.

The March reception of the Public School Teachers' Association will take place at Cooper Institute on the 25th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M.

The Subcommittee of Seven of the Tammany Society met last evening and completed the election of Inspectors for the primary elections.

The Governing Committee of the Stock Exchange held a private meeting, yesterday, in relation to proposed changes in the constitution and rules.

MINNIE DAVIS, the beautiful blonde, whose trial for arson, about a year ago, excited so much interest, has become a hopeless lunatic in State Prison.

In the case of SARAH REISER *vs.* SAMUEL M. REISER, tried yesterday, before Judge BARRETT, a verdict of divorce was granted in favor of the plaintiff.

The Trustees of the College of the City of New-York (Free Academy) met yesterday, and appropriated $20,000 for the payment of the salaries of the teachers.

JULIA A. KING, aged forty-four years, who fell from the second story window of No. 34 Hamilton-street, on Tuesday, died yesterday at Bellevue Hospital from the effects of her injuries.

The officers and members of Company G, Seventy-first Regiment, had a very pleasant time last evening, at Robinson's Hall, in East Sixteenth-street, it being the occasion of their annual reception.

CATHERINE REDELL, who was arrested for intoxication last evening, attempted to hang herself with her shawl in a cell in the Second Precinct Station-house a few minutes after she had been locked up.

DANIEL STENSON and MARTIN MONAGHAN were yesterday committed by Justice DOWLING, for having assaulted Patrolman TERENCE KERNAN, of the Fourteenth Precinct, while in the discharge of his duty.

AMELIA MEYERS, of No. 112 Prince-street, was charged before Commissioner SHIELDS, yesterday, with selling spirits without paying the special tax, and held in her own recognizance to appear for examination.

PATRICK DOYLE was yesterday caught in the act of stealing a portmanteau, containing clothing valued at $79, from the cart of PETER MCALOON, of No. 40 Pitt-street. He was committed to prison by Justice DOWLING.

MICHAEL BURNS, of No. 21 Monroe-street, was yesterday committed by Justice SHANDLEY, charged with being one of a gang who knocked down and robbed THEODORE HELFFRICH, of No. 509 East Twelfth-street, on Tuesday last.

PETER CONWAY, of No. 505 West Thirty-third-st., was committed at Jefferson Market, yesterday, on a charge of knocking down and robbing FRED. WEBER, of Tompkinsville, Staten Island, of his watch and chain, on Sunday night.

SAMUEL ISAAC, a boy employed by DITENHOFER and OHENVIZER, No. 350 Canal-steet, was knocked down and robbed of a package of vails valued at $20 by some unknown men at the corner of Fourteenth-street and Broadway last evening.

HENRY LUNKRUE, of No. 275 Bleecker-street, who was charged before Commissioner SHIELDS with removing cigars from the manufactory without branding or stamping the same, was committed yesterday to await the action of the Grand Jury.

The Johannes Lodge of the Order of Good Fellows, and the Jupiter Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd-fellows, gave each a ball last evening. Both of these affairs yielded a handsome profit for the charitable funds of these organizations.

Last evening an unknown man entered the liquor store kept by CHARLOTTE BROWN, No. 159 Leonard-street, when, after partaking of a glass of liquor, he fell down dead. He was dressed in a dark suit, with blue check shirt, and is supposed to be about twenty-six years of age.

A meeting of Germans will be held this evening at 8 P. M., in the large Turner Hall, Nos. 66 and 68 East Fourth-street, for the purpose of discussing the subject of Woman's Rights. The speakers will be Mrs. AUGUSTA LILIENTHAL, Mrs. CLARA NEYMANN and Dr. A. DONAI.

The second general meeting of the New-York Yacht Club will be held at the Club-house, corner Twenty-seventh-street and Madison-avenue, on Thursday, the 28th inst., for the purpose of electing members and to receive the reports of committees, &c.

In the case of WILLIAM MERRICK, who was placed on trial in the United States Circuit Court on Monday for perjury, and in which the plea of insanity was offered for the defense, the jury yesterday disagreed, standing equally divided. They were discharged by Judge BENEDICT.

JAMES T. BRADY pleaded guilty in the United States Circuit Court, yesterday, to stealing packages containing articles of value from the Post-office; he was remanded for sentence. STEPHEN D. CARPENTER pleaded guilty to forging a Post-office money-order, and was also remanded for sentence.

Coroner SCHIRMER held an inquest yesterday, in the case of ELIZABETH PFEIFFER, who was found dead in her apartments at No. 834 First-avenue, on Tuesday, and whose death was supposed to have resulted from injuries received at the hands of her husband, CHARLES PFEIFFER. As no evidence against him could be produced, he was discharged from custody.

BROOKLYN.

On account of the Mayor's absence, yesterday, the trials of delinquent Policemen were postponed to Friday.

There were 372 deaths in Brooklyn last week, thirty being caused by small-pox, an increase of fourteen over the week previous.

The Forty-seventh Regiment have just completed a gallery in their armory for rifle practice, and their drilling will commence without delay.

The strike of the journeymen house-painters for the eight-hour system still continues, and workmen refusing to join them are forcibly dragged away from their work.

The Board of Health is seriously considering the propriety of compelling the removal of PRATT's Oil-works from the City limits, they being regarded dangerous and a nuisance.

FREDERICK KLEIN, a saloon-keeper in Franklin-street, was fined $25 yesterday, by Justice VOORHIES, for assaulting with a bludgeon a customer named MOORE, on Sunday last.

The Woman's Union Missionary Society held their regular quarterly meeting yesterday afternoon, in the Church of the Pilgrims. Mrs. T. C. DOREMUS presided. The Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $10,124. A number of interesting letters on missionary subjects were read from ladies in India, China, Japan, &c.

A fire occurred in CLEMENCE's cabinet-shop, in rear of No. 11 Meserole-street, Williamsburg, last evening, damaging the building to the amount of $200 and the stock $300. It communicated to the two-story building of MICHAEL SCHROEDER, adjoining. Loss, $300, which is fully covered by insurance in the New-York Exchange Fire Insurance Company.

A fire occurred last evening in a three-story brick tenement-house on the corner of North First and Seventh streets, Williamsburg, owned by ADOLPH WHITE, and occupied by JAMES BROWN. Mr. BROWN had one of his arms so seriously burned that it was found necessary to carry him to the Fifth Precinct Station-house for surgical treatment. The damage amounted to about $100.

LONG ISLAND.

The County Christian Association, of Suffolk, met yesterday at Sag Harbor and elected the following officers: President, Rev. SAMUEL ORCOTT, of Riverhead; Vice-Presidents, Rev. E. Hall, of Cutchogue, Rev. R. H. Rust, of Sag Harbor, Rev. N. R. Bennet, of Greenport, and Rev. T. N. Bennet, of Aqueboge; Secretary, George P. Brown, of Sag Harbor.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The following have been nominated by the Republicans for Supervisors: P. ESTERBROOK, for East Chester; J. J. BURNETT, for Mamaroneck, and NATHANIEL BRADFORD for West Chester.

NEW-JERSEY.

Rev. GEORGE PIERCE, of the First Congregational of Paterson, has offered his resignation.

At the charter election in Burlington, on Tuesday, a Republican Mayor and six Councilmen were elected.

The Ohio Forger.

JOHN SIDLE, the Ohio farmer, who was arrested on Tuesday, charged with having defrauded the Farmers' National Bank of Marion, Ohio, out of $30,000 by forging his father's name to checks and drafts, was yesterday brought before Justice DOWLING, and remanded to await the arrival of the requisition from Gov. NOYES, of Ohio.

Stabbing Affray at West New-York.

An affray occurred at West New-York, in the upper portion of Hudson County, on Tuesday night, which will probably result fatally to one of the men engaged. Two men, LEWIS GRIEFF and GEORGE KAMER, employed as quarrymen, had a quarrel in a saloon, and GRIEFF threatened to take KAMER's life. He concealed himself by the roadside, armed with a knife, and when KAMER passed the spot on his way home stabbed him in the breast. He then made good his escape. The wound inflicted is in the region of the lungs, is of considerable depth, and will probably result fatally.

ERIE AFFAIRS.

The Bill Signed by the Governor—Increased Earnings of the Line.

The announcement that the Governor had signed the Erie bill, and returned it to the Legislature, which was made on the Stock Exchange at 3½ o'clock yesterday afternoon, was received with much rejoicing by the American shareholder interest. The amendment proposed by Mr. MADDEN was directly inspired by their necessities, and they knew that Mr. ARCHER, the Vice-President of the present Board, had arrived in Albany early in the morning for the express purpose of getting that amendment reconsidered and struck out. As things stand at present they now feel themselves tolerably secure of the election. Though it is confessed on all sides that the bulk of the stock has gravitated to England, as Mr. HENRY CLEWS predicted that it would, yet, as the present law provides that every shareholder must vote upon his own shares, and that voting by proxy is altogether inadmissible, the great majority of the English shares will not be voted upon. That there will be considerable transferring for election purposes can hardly be doubted, but that BISCHOFFSHEIM will avail himself of such a plan to any great extent is very improbable.

In the mean time the present directors propose to do the best for the road that they can. One of them stated to the reporter of the TIMES, yesterday, that the line had earned from October last up to the present date at the rate of $22,000,000 per annum. And now that this prodigious sum will not be absorbed by swindling contracts for supplies, there is a very fair prospect that within a few years Erie may be fully redeemed. But it is the opinion of brokers generally, that for such a result it is necessary that the directors should be able to give their undivided attention to Erie, and not be continually placed in situations where they would be called upon to exercise more than Roman virtue in acting against the interests of other lines in which they are concerned and for which they are also directors. In a word, no man can serve two masters.

Those who had been predicting that Erie stock would go down once more had their opinions verified yesterday to a certain extent on the opening of the Exchange, when there seemed to be an uneasiness on the part of holders that induced them to sell. The stock began at 44½, against 52 of the day before, but gradually increased and went up to 51 before the day was over, the news from Albany announcing that the Governor had signed the Erie bill evidently had something to do with the advance, as did also, probably, the announcement by cable of the prices in Amsterdam and London. The sales in Erie, however, were not quite so heavy as they have been.

[Advertisement.]

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[Advertisement.]

A.—"Come what, come may, time and the hour runs through the roughest day." Remember this encouraging fact and buy your Hats at KNOX'S, No. 212 Broadway. Spring styles just introduced.

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CLOVERINE.—Use no more offensive benzine, Cloverine has supplanted it in all genteel families in cleaning laces, silks, gloves, velvets, cloths, &c. B. B. ROTION & CO., Cloverine Chemical Works, Brooklyn.

Passengers Sailed.

In steam-ship Wyoming, for Liverpool.—Mr. and Miss Courtenay, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fellows, J. S. Oskford, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Tucker, Wm. E. Platt, Prentice Mulford, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Cundle, John Morrison, S. P. Carruthers, Wm. E. Pierce, Mrs. A. C. Yundt, Miss Kate Miller, Frank Platt, Edwin James.

Passengers Arrived.

In steam-ship City of Paris, from Liverpool.—Wm. Creighton, J. W. Nicholson, Walter Mansfield, Paley Ashmore, Charles Yescombe, James Garven, Benj. Thornton, Wm. Bedell, Jos. Cavaille, Wm. Wright and wife, W. H. Ducker, Miss Sannon, Thomas Colliholl, S. Chretenurt, James Albarro, wife and 2 children, J. Shoufield and wife, Walter Wood, Blundell Brown, H. M. King, S. C. Dixon, Thos. Dally, Mr. Hanbury, Mr. Anderson, wife and infant, Mr. Strang and wife, Mr. Olmixon.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.....6:02 | Sun sets......6:13 | Moon sets....4:42

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook.5:01 | Gov. Island...5:50 | Hell Gate....7:12

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....WEDNESDAY, March 20.

Cleared.

Steam-ships Columbia, (Br.,) Mackay, Henderson Bros.; Albemarle, Walker, Norfolk, City Point and Richmond, Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.; Concord, Norman, Philadelphia; E. N. Fairchild, Trant, Philadelphia; D. Utley, Davis, Philadelphia.

Ship Mikado, (Br.,) Ilbery, London, Peabody, Willis & Co.

Barks Orient, (Russ.,) Orander, Elsinore for orders, Funch, Edye & Co.; Julia Ann, (Br.,) Baker, Caibarein, Borland Dearborn & Co.; Annie Kreil, (Ger.,) Vaught, Ancona, Fabbri & Chauncey; Diana, (Br.,) Davis, Cape Town, Dowley, Corners & Co.

Brigs John McDonald, (Br.,) McAlmon, Campeachy and Progreso, P. I. Nevius & Son; Minca, (Ger.,) Grese, Ponce and Mayaguez, P. R., Funch, Edye & Co.

Schrs. C. A. Johnson, Travis, Washington, N. C., W. K. Hinman & Co.; Ida Bella, Fischer, Galveston, Texas, C. H. Mallory & Co.; Nellie Crowell, Crowell, Indianola, Texas, Evans, Ball & Co.; Alzena, Boynton, Havana, Cuba, James E. Ward & Co.

Arrived.

Steam-ship Zodiac, Chapin, from Newbern, arr. 19th, reports March 16, schr. Burdett Hart, hence for Wilmington, N. C., put into Hatteras Inlet, leaking 1,000 strokes per hour; schr. Elias Moore, bound N., put in for a harbor; left at Hatteras Inlet, March 18, schr. Mary Louisa, Gaskill, from Washington, N. C., for New-York; J. W. McCaulay, Dowdy, from do., for Philadelphia; steam-tug Thatcher, hence for Georgetown, S. C.

Steam-ship City of Paris, (Br.,) Leitch, Liverpool March 7 and Queenstown 8th, with mdse. and passengers to John G. Dale. March 14, lat. 44 59, lon. 41, passed a German steamer bound E; 18th, lat. 41 23, lon. 61 11, passed another German steamer bound E.

Steam-ship Victor, Gates, New-Orleans March 10 and Havana 5 ds., with sugar and 5 passengers to Chas. H. Mallory & Co.

Steam-ship Merrimack, Slocum, Rio Janeiro Feb. 24 and St. Thomas March 14, with coffee, &c., and passengers to Wm. R. Garrison.

Steam-ship Ocean Queen, Maury, Aspinwall March 7 and Kingston 13th, with mdse. and passengers to Pacific Mail Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Francis Wright, Morgan, Wilmington, N. C., 3 days, with naval stores, &c., to Washington & Co.

Ship Franconia, Marshall, from Newburyport, arr. 19th and anchored on the Bar; came up this morning and reports: Left Newburyport Jan. 22; on the 24th took a gale from N. W. which drove us to the S. E. until the 28th, and on that day took a fearful gale from N. and W.; hove the ship to under maintopsail and found the ship laid down so low in the water, and like to roll over for want of ballast, and for the safety of the ship was obliged to put her before the wind, and run S. to procure more ballast, and I found Nassau to be the nearest port, where we arr. Feb. 7 and took on board what ballast we wanted, and left on the 24th; since that, up to the present time, have been hove to 8 times under maintopsail; March 2 had it the most severe, and was obliged to let her lay to under bare poles; have been a master since 1829, and the last 24 ds. have been the severest I ever saw.

Ship Daniel Marcy, Ross, from San Francisco, arr. 19th, and anchored on the Bar; came up this A. M., and reports: Was 27 ds. to the line in the Pacific; thence 39 ds. to Cape Horn, and 48 ds. to the equator in the Atlantic, which was crossed in lon. 40 W., and from thence to port 32 ds.; the second day out, in a heavy norther, sprung the mizzen mast close to the deck, which rendered it useless the rest of the voyage, as very little sail could be carried on it except in the lightest weather; Dec. 13, lat. 55, lon. 62 30, exchanged signals with a ship showing fourth pennant, Nos. 3,195, from Cardiff, for Callao; same day, saw ship Don Juan, (Fr.,) Feb. 5, lat. 17 4 S., lon. 29 W., saw ship Poythorne, bound N.

Ship Carolus Magnus, Smith, from Antwerp, arr. 19th, and anchored on the Bar, came up this morning and reports: Came the southern passage, and had heavy westerly gales and been 12 ds. N. of Hatteras; March 6, lat. 31, lon. 67 22, spoke ship Volunteer, from Manila, for Boston.

Bark Alice, (of Newport, E.,) Kendall, Melbourne Dec. 13, and the Heads 15th, with wool to D. G. Bacon—vessel to master. Passed Cape Horn Jan. 14, and crossed the equator Feb. 21, in lon. 37 W.; Dec. 24, had a hurricane from W. S. W., lasting 50 hours; barometer 27 75, in which the vessel was hove on her beam ends, the lower yards being in the water; 29th, had another heavy gale from same quarter, lasting 24 hours; thence had variable weather to Cape Horn, and fine weather to lat. 30 05 S., then had N. E. trades instead of S. E. to lat. 15 N., then S. E. winds to lat. of Barbadoes, and from thence variable gales; no date, &c., spoke bark La Plata, from Buenos Ayres, for Boston.

Bark Abbie Craig, (of Ayr,) Dean, Matanzas 14 ds., with sugar to order—vessel to Heney & Parker. Has had heavy N. W. winds the entire passage, and been 6 ds. N. of Hatteras.

Brig Eastern Star, Foster, Demerara 26 ds., with sugar to order—vessel to master. Has had heavy weather the entire passage, and been 5 ds. N. of Hatteras; March 17, off Cape Henry, spoke schr. Florence, from St. Martins, for New-York, with rudder damaged.

Brig F. H. Todd, (of Calais,) Maguire, Cardenas 14 ds., with sugar and molasses to Moses Taylor & Co.—vessel to Gorham Boardman. Has been 8 ds. N. of Hatteras, with heavy N. W. and N. E. gales; lost main-staysail; March 17, lat. 38, lon. 71, spoke brig Jennie Cushman, from Cape de Verde, for Boston.

Brig G. J. Troop, Terris, from Guantanamo, arr. 19th, reports March 10, off Cape Hatteras, had a gale from N. W. to W. N.W., lasting 12 hours, during which shipped a sea; filled the cabin with water; has been 10 ds. N. of Hatteras, with heavy N. W. and N. E. gales; March 19, off Sandy Hook, in a squall from W., carried away fore-topmast.

Brig Domenico, (Ital.,) Trapani, Trinidad, Cuba, 31 ds., with sugar to Sheppard Gandy & Co.—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Has been 8 ds. N. of Hatteras, with strong N. and N. W. winds.

Schr. D. H. Bisbee, (of Camden,) Anderson, Para 40 ds., via Hampton Roads 5 ds., with rubber, nuts, &c., to L. E. Amsinck & Co.—vessel to Miller & Houghton. Has been 10 ds. N. of Hatteras, with N. W. gales; has been blown off the coast 3 times; March 10, in a gale from N. W., during which lost main boom; March 2, lat. 32, lon. 73, had a hurricane from W. S. W. to N. W., lasting 12 hours, and was obliged to heave the vessel to under a drag; March 1, lat. 32, lon. 73, passed schr. Lottie Linwood, hence bound S.

Schr. J. K. Manning, Smith, Indianola, 23 ds. with hides to Evans, Ball & Co.—vessel to master. Has had strong head winds the entire passage, and been 10 ds. N. of Hatteras.

Schr. Paul Seavey, (of Bangor,) Lowell, Sagua, 12 ds. with sugar to order, vessel to Lunt Bros. Has been 7 ds. N. of Hatteras, with heavy N. W. gales.

By Telegraph.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 20.—Arr., schr. J. E. Simmons, from Philadelphia; bark Ebenezer, from Beaufort, S. C.

Sld., schrs. Lily, for New-York; Saarbruck, for Boston; Fanny Elder, for a northern port.

LEWES, Del., March 20.—Arr., brig Planet, Trinidad for orders. Sld., brig Sportsman, for New-York. The Ocean Eagle is ordered to New-York. Passed in for Philadelphia: Barks Athletic, Liverpool; D. McPherson, Messina; and Lydia, Antwerp.

FORTRESS MONROE, Va., March 20.—Passed in for Baltimore, barks Clara, from Bremen; Union, from Demerara; Mary Ann, from Liverpool; brig Chattanooga, from St. Johns; schrs. Arctic, from St. Johns, and Ewins, from the West Indies.

Passed out brigs Chesapeake, for Demerara, Aerolite, for Ireland; ships Glenbervie, for Liverpool, and Grey Eagle, for Rio.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 20.—Arr. steam-ships San Salvador, from New-York; Montgomery, from New-York; Gulf Stream, from Philadelphia; America, from Baltimore.

Cld. steam-ship Seminole, for Boston; schrs. H. G. Fay, for Fall River; Willie Luce, for Boston; A. H. Cain, for Baltimore.

Below, one ship and one schr.

VINEYARD HAVEN, March 19—P. M.—Arr. bark Philena, from Buenos Ayres Jan. 18, for Boston; crossed equator Feb. 21. Also arr. schrs. L. and A. Babcock, from Philadelphia for Boston; Louisa A., from Boston for Baltimore; Lucy J. Keeler, from Boston. Returned, schrs. Ledona, Warrenton, and G. W. Hawley. Steamer Mocassin, (U. S.) reports boarded off Gay Head today, brig Black Swan, of Georgetown, D. C., Winslads, from San Domingo City for Boston, which vessel sailed hence on 4th inst.; reports off Highland Light, same night, encountered a violent N. W. gale and was blown off the coast; threw off portion of cargo, lost sails, broke mainboom, &c. The B. S. went into Tarpauline Cove this afternoon.

Sld. schrs. Light of Home and David Nickels.

March 20, arr. brig Jane, from Port-au-Prince, via Inagua, for Boston; reports heavy weather and loss of main-boom and jib-boom; left at Inagua brig Stromness for Boston; brig Cayenne and schr. Ella Hayes, for New-York; also, arr. schr. Summerville from Surinam, for Boston; reports on the 9th inst., off Cape Hatteras, lon. 71, in a cyclone lost deck-load of cedar and limes; split sails; she brings Capt. George E. Teague and wife, of the bark May Queen, before reported burned at Surinam. Also arr., schr. Ella Amsden, from Philadelphia, for Portland; two of the crew disabled; one, belonging in Millville, N. J., had one arm and one leg broken, last night, while entering the harbor. Also arr., schr. Prescott Hazeltine, from Jacksonville for Boston; Annie Westbrook, from Elizabethport, for Portland.

Sld. schr. Malabar, in tow of steamer Helen Augusta, for New-Bedford, for repairs.

Foreign Ports.

ASPINWALL, March 9.—Arr. on Feb. 21, steam-ship Bolivar, Capt. Baker, from Liverpool; on the 23d Elbe, Capt. West, from Southampton; on the 26th Ocean Queen, Capt. Maury, from New-York; on March 1, Graf von Bismarck, Capt. Nordenholt, from Bremen; on the 2d, Bavaria, Capt. Thayer, from Hamburg; on the 4th, Le Floridé, Capt. De Beaufort, from St. Nazaire; and on the 8th, Tasmanian, Capt. Leeds, from Southampton. On Feb. 29, bark Mary, Capt. Nordblow, from New-York, and brig Sullivan, Capt. Perry, from Pensacola; on March 6, bark Nicolins, Capt. Delman, from Cardiff; and on March 8 bark Midas, Capt. Higgins, from New-York.

Sld. on Feb. 21, steam-ship Henry Chauncey, Capt. Gray, for New-York, and steam-ship Kronprinz, Capt. Leist, for Bremen; on the 25th, steam-ship Elbe, Capt. West, for Carthagena; on the 27th, steam-ship Bolivar, Capt. Baker, for Santa Marta, and bark E. Herrman, Capt. Nickels, for Cienfuegos; on March 2, steam-ship Graf von Bismarck, Capt. Nordenholt, from La Guayra; on the 6th, steam-ship Le Floridé, Capt. de Beaufort, for St. Nazaire, and steam-ship Bavaria, Capt. Thayer, for Hamburg; and on the 7th, steam-ship Elbe, Capt. West, for Southampton.

European Marine News.

QUEENSTOWN, March 20.—The Cunard steam-ship Liberia, Capt. Harrison, from Boston March 9, for Liverpool, arr. here at 10 o'clock last night.

The Inman steam-ship City of Bristol, Capt. Phelps, from New-York March 9, for Liverpool, arr. here at 3 o'clock this morning.

LONDONDERRY, March 20.—The Allan line steam-ship Nestorian, Capt. Aird, from Portland March 9, arr. this morning en route for Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, March 20.—Arr. ship Elpis, from New-York Feb. 20.

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